WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Winds mostly westerly and southerly; generally fair with showers tonight or on Monday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds; generally fair with showers tonight or on Monday.

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FIERCE ATTACKS ARE REPULSED

Heavy Fighting on Road Between Dvinsk and Novo Alexandrovsk — Enemy Is Forced Back in Disorder.

FURTHER SUCCESSES ON GALICIAN BORDER

Recent Battle Near Lutsk Resulted in Capture of Over Six Thousand Prisoners—Frontal Attack Near Dubno.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 25.—The following Russian official war statement was issued here tonight:

"The cannonade in the Riga region has become much more intense in places, the Germans using asphyxiating shells.

"A fierce battle has been fought along the whole front of the Dvinsk positions between Dvina and Lake Drisviaty, where the Germans, supported by the hurricane fire of their artillery, delivered repeated desperate attacks, all of which were repulsed. Certain trenches changed hands frequently.

"During an attack along the Dvinsk road, in the district of Lake Lavkez, near Novo Alexandrovsk, the enemy first succeeded in entering our trenches, but afterwards was ejected by a counter-attack. Gathering themselves together, the Germans again rushed in compact columns upon our trenches, but were forced to retire in disorder. Twice attacks of the same nature subsequently were repeated in the same direction.

"The artillery fire here was extreme in its intensity, but all attacks were repulsed. The enemy losses were enormous. The heaviness of our losses, due to the desperate fighting, is the best proof of the valor of our troops. During one counter-attack a Russian detachment in the heat of the fight was surrounded by Germans, but cut its way out and joined the other troops.

Enemy's Severe Losses

"Isolated actions have occurred in the districts of Novo Grodek and Baranovichi. According to later reports, during the engagement near Logischin, the 41st German corps suffered severe losses, and during its retreat we made prisoners of seven officers and 500 unwounded men and captured a cannon and seven machine guns. We also captured many German wounded, but the number is not yet established.

"In a hot engagement near Dubno for the village of Khorupagne and Golovtechna our troops by a frontal attack captured thirty officers, about 1,600 men and a machine gun. This attack was delivered under the enemy's hurricane of artillery fire, which subsequently forced our troops to retreat towards the river Ikwa.

"In the region adjoining Galicia, the enemy launched a series of attacks near the village of Novo Alexinetz, but our troops, by a counter-attack, overthrew him and took more than 3,000 prisoners and captured four machine guns.

"Near the village of Debrapolo (Galicia), southwest of Trembowla, our cavalry charged the enemy, who fled. Our cavalry, pursuing the enemy's horse, sabred a great many, and captured about 500, with seventeen officers and two machine guns.

"Later reports show that the prisoners captured in the Lutsk district numbered 128 officers and about 6,000 men, not eight officers and 4,000 men, as stated in the preliminary estimates."

Enemy's Statements

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—The following official statement was given out today:

"Eastern war theatre: Army group of Field Marshal von Hindenburg—Russian attacks west of Lennewaden and near Vileja and Rabun were repulsed. Our attack on the front south of Soly is proceeding. The Russians still are resisting our advance on the line of Smorgon-Wischnew west of Sabresina and Djeljatitschi. Near Friedrichstadt a German airman shot down a Russian aeroplane.

"Army group of Prince Leopold of Bavaria—North of Korelitschi the Russians are offering stubborn resistance. Our troops stormed the town of Negniewitschi, northeast of Nowogrodek, and repulsed several strong counter-attacks. East and southeast of Baranovichi our attack on the west bank of the Stczara is proceeding. We have captured several hundred prisoners west of Wedwjedikschi and south, near Lipsk, we reached the Stczara.

"Army group of Field Marshal von Mackensen, and southeast war theatre—The situation is unchanged."

VIENNA, Sept. 25.—The following Austrian official statement was issued here today:

"Russian war theatre: Against our Volhynian front, the enemy attempted several attacks leading at some points to our trenches, but all were repulsed, the Russians suffering great losses. The number of prisoners taken on the Ikwa line Thursday and Friday amount to twenty officers and about 4,000 men.

"Austro-Hungarian cavalry are advancing through the forest and marshy district of the Lower Styr, against some villages which were stubbornly defended by the Russians.

"In Lithuania our troops advanced into the district of Krassyn."

Bills Are Renewed

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Treasury bills of the City of Victoria, B. C., amounting to $500,000, are to be renewed here beginning in October. These, it is understood, form part of a total of about $700,000 which was placed in the Spring. The renewals have been arranged on a basis of 5¼ per cent discount.

Exports Prohibited

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 25.—Sweden has issued a proclamation prohibiting the exportation of rubber, printers' ink, dyes and varnishes, it was announced here today.

VIOLATED NEUTRALITY

Bulgarian Charged With Aiding Countrymen to Cross Border From Canada

TOLEDO, Ohio, Sept. 25.—Charged with smuggling eight hundred or more Bulgarians from Windsor, Ont., to Detroit, then to Toledo, Mike Tonoff, a Bulgarian, was arrested here this afternoon by government officers. The arrest followed affidavits made by some of the men brought in.

The call received from Washington ordering 100 Bulgarian officers to report at New York, preparatory to returning to their native country, brought about the expose of Tonoff's alleged activities, the officers say.

GOING TO FRONT

Two Canadian Trade Agents Have Joined Overseas Forces of Dominion

OTTAWA, Sept. 24.—Two of Canada's trade agents are going to the front and will join the Canadian Overseas forces. They have received leave of absence from Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Comemrce.

One of the is H. R. Pousette, trade representative for South America, whose headquarters is at Buenos Ayres. He saw service in South Africa.

The other is G. B. Johnson, trade agent in Japan, with headquarters at Tokio.

GREECE IS READY TO MEET ATTACK

King Constantine and M. Venizelos Are in Agreement as to Attitude Country Must Adopt Towards Bulgaria.

ATHENS, Sept. 25.—King Constantine and M. Venizelos, the Prime Minister, at a conference this morning reached a complete agreement with regard to both the steps already taken by the Government and the measures which are demanded to meet the Balkan situation.

These measures include the maintenance of Greece's treaty obligations.

The decision means that if Bulgaria sides with the Teutonic allies and attacks Serbia, Greece will cast in her lot with the quadrruple entente.

PARIS, Sept. 25.—Blugarian troops are invading Macedonia, according to a dispatch received here today from Athens.

BUCHAREST, Sept. 25.—Widely-circulated reports that Roumania would join the war on the side of the Germanic allies caused violent anti-Teutonic riots here last night. Many persons were injured before the troops succeeded in dispersing the mobs. The general sentiment throughout Roumania is in favor of the Allies.

Bulgaria Is Warned

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The situation in the Balkans overshadowed in interest every other phase of war here today.

King Constantine of Greece has warned Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria that he is about to take a most serious step and that Greece is bound to support Serbia in the event of a Bulgarian attack.

Telegrams passed frequently today between M. Venizelos, Prime Minister of Greece, and M. Radoslavoff, Prime Minister of Bulgaria. It was believed these telegrams related to the cession of Macedonia to Bulgaria.

Reuter's correspondent in Moscow says that the Bulgarian colonists in that city have declined to obey the call to the colors. They telegraphed to King Ferdinand and to Bulgarian statesmen messages deprecating a campaign against Serbia, stating that they never would participate in a fratricidal war.

Athens states that mobilization is proceeding in Greece today and that thousands of men already are in uniform. It is predicted that within a few days a majority of the reservists will have joined the colors.

DEMANDS WERE REFUSED

Factories of Lille Would Not Assist Germans—Monstrous Fine Inflicted on City

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 25.—The German military authorities at Lille, French Flanders, again have clashed with the populace, this time over the refusal of Lille factories to make sacks for use by the Germans as sandbags for their defence works. Unable to procure the sacks, the German authorities notified the mayor that an amount equivalent to the output of the Lille factories would be manufactured in Germany and the cost of production assessed against the city. This was carried out notwithstanding a vigorous protest. The strong room of the town was forced and 375,000 francs was taken from the civic funds.

In addition to this, 31,000,000 francs in war taxes was demanded. Pending the payment of this sum, the Germans placed seals on the banks, as well as on the strongrooms of individuals, as a guarantee that securities would not be removed.

The Lille authorities insisted that this demand could not be met, whereupon the Germans suggested a compromise payment of 15,00,000 francs. A penalty of 100,000 francs a day was imposed pending the payment.

Results of Air Raids

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The East Coast Raid Committee, appointed last January, has completed its investigations of the claims submitted and has presented its report to the Government. The investigations covered the bombardment of Hartlepool, Scarborough and Whitby and the fourteen air raids previous to June 15. The number of claims for personal injury reported on was 497, of which 178 were fatal cases. The number of property claims investigated was 10,282.

Will Begin Shortly

VIENNA, Sept. 25.—The Teutonic offensive against Serbia is expected to start within a few days. Heavy artillery is being rushed to the Danube.

Allies Open Offensive on Western Line

GENERAL JOFFRE AND SIR JOHN FRENCH

Commanders of Anglo-French Armies, which made important advances during yesterday's fighting.

MUST RECALL AMBASSADOR

United States Government Will Not Be Satisfied if Dr. Dumba Is Merely Allowed "Leave of Absence."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Ambassador Penfield, at Vienna, has been instructed to make clear to the Austro-Hungarian Government informally that the United States must insist on the recall of Dr. Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador here, and that his departure "on leave of absence" would not be satisfactory.

From messages exchanged between Ambassador Penfield and the State Department it is apparent that the Austrian Government misunderstood the desire of the United States.

It was intimated at first to Ambassador Penfield that the Austrian Government might recall Dr. Dumba on leave of absence and might desire safe conduct for him. Dr. Dumba himself telegraphed for such safe conduct a few days later, informing the State Department that he had been granted leave of absence. No action was taken on his request, but it was forwarded to Ambassador Penfield.

The instructions sent to Mr. Penfield were not disclosed today, but it was learned that he has been authorized to make it clear that Dr. Dumba's usefulness as the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States has ceased, and that if given merely "leave of absence," he nevertheless still would remain accredited. The right of a Government to demand the recall of an ambassador because of his personal acts is unquestionable under international law, and, according to officials, if the Austrian Government should persist in refusing to recall Dr. Dumba, passports could be handed to him. There is no indication as yet that this will be necessary, the delay in the Austrian Government's decision, it is said, being due to difficulties in cable transmission.

Sunk by Submarine

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Holland-American freighter Eemdijk, 4,815 tons gross, has been sunk by a German submarine. A dispatch from Norwich says her crew has been landed by the Swedish steamship Framna. The Eemdijk sailed from Buenos Ayres on August 20 for Copenhagen with a cargo of 8,000 tons of maize.

VOTERS LIST

As only eight days remain to register on the Voters List, which closes on October 4, The Colonist will have a duly qualified Commissioner ready to register any applicant wishing to go on the roll.

The rooms of the Conservative Association, 1216 Government Street, will be open every evening until 10 o'clock to enable applicants to register.

FAVORS CONSCRIPTION

Canadian Chaplain Returned From Front Is Shocked to See Young Men Not Enlisted

MONTREAL, Sept. 25.—"Our first Canadian contingent to France," said Lieut.-Col. the Rev. Canon Almond, in a forcible address at the Windsor Hall last night, "practically went through hell. They fought until only 6,000 were left of the orignal 18,000."

Canon Almond favored either registration or conscription. "There is no reason," he said, "why those who are left at home, men of soldiers' age, who should be in uniform and are not, should not be made either to do something or be shot, just as the soldier who fails in his duty in the field."

He said that since his return from the front, he had been shocked to see the number of young men here on the streets, dropping into saloons and gambling dens. He said he thought every young man should be compelled to contribute his share in the world crisis.

ZEEBRUGGE IS BOMBARDED

British Warships Pour Shells Into German Base for Four Hours — Defences Suffered Heavy Damage.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's says the Handelsblad correspondent on the island of Cadzand, Province of Zeeland, Holland, sends the following account of bombardment of Zeebrugge, by a British squadron:

"An English squadron, consisting of five large warships and twenty-five smaller vessels opened fire on Zeebrugge at 6:30 in the morning. Only two of the big ships fired from what apparently were 28-centimetre guns. The German batteries replied with lighter guns, but not until 10 o'clock.

"A big column of smoke arose above Zeebrugge at 7 o'clock, apparently caused by shell fire from an English vessel, in order to establish a better target. The English also employed light guns, but the shots did not reach the coast and probably were directed against submarines.

"From time to time, a German aeroplane flew from the Coast to the fleet while a captive baloon ascended from Zeebrugge.

"The fleet departed at 10:30 o'clock."

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 25.—British warships again bombarded the town of Zeebrugge, on the coast of Belgium, this morning. The flashes of their heavy guns were visible from the Dutch coast.

The German defences were damaged badly before the squadron drew away.

The cannonading was directed against the harbor works. Explosions occurring on land indicated that ammunition depots were blown up by the ships' fire, which was directed by aeroplanes.

The bombardment lasted for three hours. Afterwards firing was heard at other points along the Belgian coast.

SUBMIT DRAFT TO GOVERNMENTS

Anglo-French Financiers Reported to Have Reached Tentative Agreement With American Bankers.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Negotiations towards establishing a half billion dollar credit loan to Great Britain and France made little apparent progress to-day.

No one in close touch with the situation could be found who would deny a generally credited report that the commission had submitted to the British and French Governments the rough draft of terms satisfactory to American bankers and was awaiting word from Paris and London before proceeding further with negotiations. The general belief was that a reply would be received here by Monday.

It was regarded as likely that the reply would contain other suggestions which would be made the basis of further bargaining and reference again to Paris and London before an actual working agreement would be reached. One report definitely denied was that the commission intended to depart for Europe next Saturday. No arrangements, it was said, have been made for their return home.

There appeared to be no change tonight in the reported tentative terms of the loan—the maximum to be $500,000,000, to be covered by an issue of joint Anglo-French five-year notes, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent., and to be sold to the investor at less than par. This figure, as yet undetermined, was said to be such as to yield the investor approximately 5 1-2 per cent.

The amount may not exceed $300,000,000, according to reports here today.

Banks throughout the country, including three in Manhattan and three in Hoboken, have announced their unwillingness to participate in a loan of any size, and it is feared that the efforts of hostile agencies to block the loan will be successful at least to the point of scaling down the $500,000,000 total previously deemed the minimum.

If only $300,000,000 is secured now, it is possible that another loan will be made next spring.

It was understood here to-day that a tentative agreement will be reached within the next few days, after which representatives of the American Bankers' Association will be called into conference, and the machinery for bringing in the money set in motion.

Editor Arrested

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Morning Post's correspondent at Berne says that Dr. Meyer, joint editor of Vorwaerts, has been arrested charged with issuing and distributing leaflets to the German press.

Will Rebuild Churches

ROME, Sept. 25.—The pope has written to the Archbishop of Paris, stating that he will rebuild the churches ruined during the war.

COLONIES WILL RECRUIT

French Government Will Call for Every Available Man for Second Line of Defence

PARIS, Sept. 25—The mobilization of 1,000,000 soldiers in the French colonies for service in the European war was admitted today by the war office to be in progress. From Paris, it was said, orders have gone forth to all French governors in Africa, in Asia and in the Pacific to enlist and drill every available man for transportation to France as soon as possible.

It is expected that well up to 1,000,000 men will be obtained. These, it is said, are expected to form a new second line of defence in the Spring in case the war has not terminated by that time.

No definite figures were available as to the numbers of recruits to be furnished by the various French colonies.

SITUATION IMPROVING

Dispatches From Teheran Report That Russian Forces Have Been Strengthened

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Reuters sends the following:

"A message from Teheran, Persia, announces the safe arrival there of members of the Russian and French colonies in Ispahan. The general situation in Teheran is improving, the Russian forces at Kazvin (86 miles northwest of Teheran), have been considerably strengthened.

IS ARMED TO DEFEND RIGHTS

Bulgarian Prime Minister Declares His Country Has No Intention of Making War on Neighbors.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—A dispatch from Sofia dated Sept. 23 to Reuter's Telegram Company, quotes the following semi-official statement issued on that date:

"The entry of Bulgaria into a state of armed neutrality, according to the view in government circles, is explained by changes which occurred recently in the political and military situation.

"Bulgaria has not the slightest aggressive intention, but is resolved to be armed to defend her rights. Following the example of Holland and Switzerland, Bulgaria is obliged, in view of the movement of troops effected by her neighbors and the danger threatening her from the fact of the Austro-German offensive against Serbia, to proclaim armed neutrality while continuing conversations with the representatives of the two belligerent groups."

PARIS, Sept. 25.—The Bucharest correspondent of the Havas Agency, in a dispatch dated Saturday, says:

"The Bulgarian Minister today notified the foreign officials of Bulgarian mobilization, adding officially that it was not considered as a preliminary step to war, that Bulgaria has no aggressive intentions against any of its neighbors.

"In private conversations, the Minister said his Government would continue its negotiations, the mobilization having as its sole purpose the safeguarding of Bulgarian interests.

BERLIN, Sept. 25 (via wireless to Sayville).—The Overseas News Agency sends out the following:

"The Tageblatt publishes an interview with the Bulgarian Premier, M. Radoslavoff, concerning that country's armed neutrality. M. Radoslavoff is quoted as saying that Bulgaria, until further developments, will employ this merely as a defensive measure and that the mobilization is not directed against Greece or Roumania.

"The Tageblatt's correspondent further reports pro-German demonstrations at some places in Bulgaria."

RUMOR OF NAVAL BATTLE

Engagement Off Aland Islands Said to Have Taken Place—No Official Confirmation

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 25.—It is rumored here that a naval battle was fought yesterday near the Aland Islands. Sailors report that a large German cruiser was sunk, probably by a torpedo.

A similar rumor gained circulation several days ago. The British Admiralty has not issued any statement telling of such an action.

The Aland Islands are north of the entrance of the Gulf of Finland.

German Boasting

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—In referring to the success of the new German loan, The Berliner Tageblatt, according to the Overseas News Agency, refers to the loan as a proof of Germany's strength and thorough-going organization.

"England," it says, "the only land called to give a similar proof of financial strength, failed to equal Germany's achievement."

Thousands of Prisoners

PETROGRAD, Sept. 25. — Between September 2 and September 20, 45,000 Austrian prisoners, including 10,000 sick or wounded, passed through Kiev on the way to Moscow and Voronezh.

BIG OFFENSIVE HAS COMMENCED

British and French Troops in Conjunction Drive Enemy From Advanced Positions Over Wide Front.

HEAVY BOMBARDMENT OF BELGIAN COAST

Trenches Carried by Assault in Champagne District—Berlin Claims Successes at Some Points.

PARIS, Sept. 25.—The following official statement was issued by the War Office tonight:

"On the Belgian Coast our batteries have co-operated with the British fleet in the bombardment of the German positions at Westende and Middlekerke.

"The British troops have attacked with success enemy positions to the west of Loos and Hulluch. Our troops, operating in conjunction with the British army, delivered to the north of Arras an energetic attack which permitted them to gain a foothold at several points in the enemy's lines.

"Between the Somme and the Aisne, fighting by means of torpedoes and bombs has been going on in the sector of Canny Sur-Matz. Our artillery exploded a munitions depot in a fortified house at Beuvraignes.

"In Champagne after a new and violent bombardment of trench shelters, blockhouses and batteries of the enemy, our troops began an assault of the German lines between Suippes and the Aisne. The first advanced positions have been occupied on almost the entire front attacked. Our progress continues.

"Artillery actions have occurred in the Woevre in Lorraine, and in the Vosges in the environs of Chapelotte and of Schratzmannele."

Berlin Statement

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—The German official communication says that after an artillery preparation of great intensity which at some points lasted fifty hours, the expeced Anglo-French offensive begun on the Western front. The communication claims that the northern British wing has already been repulsed and that the French also have been repulsed near Souchez, Neuville and at most points between Champagne and the Argonne, their retreating columns losing very heavily from artillery fire.

The text of the statement reads as follows:

"Along the entire Western front, from the sea to the Vosges, the enemy fire has increased. It was especially violent east of Ypres, between the Canal of La Bassee and Arras and also in Champagne from Prosnes to the Argonne.

"After severe artillery preparations, which at some points lasted fifty hours, the expected attack began.

"Between the railways of Ypres, Roulers and Comines, the British attacked early this morning. Their attack on northern wing already has been repulsed, after hand-to-hand fighting before and in our positions.

"They are further attacking to the northeast and southeast of Armentieres and north of La Bassee Canal.

"On Thursday evening, as has now become known, the French penetrated our battered down trenches near Souchez. We ejected them yesterday. The French again were repulsed yesterday near Souchez and on both sides of Neuville.

"In Champagne, from Prosnes to the Argonne, the French attacked, but were at a majority of points repulsed. This was due in part to our strong artillery fire. In part also the attacks collapsed a few steps in front of our obstructions under fire of our infantry and machine guns.

"The retreating enemy columns suffered considerable losses owing to the very severe artillery and machine gun fire.

"At some points on the front hand-to-hand fighting is proceeding."

BATTALION AUTHORIZED

Lt.-Col. G. W. Fowler, M. P., Will Command Regiment for Service at the Front

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—A New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island overseas battalion, the 55th, to be commanded by Lieut.-Col. George W. Fowler, M.P. for Kings-Albert, was authorized today by the Militia Department. Col. Fowler was in Ottawa today and had an interview with General Hughes, who had just returned from Niagara. With regard to his new regiment Col. Fowler said he would return to New Brunswick at once to commence recruiting.

Col. Fowler makes the ninth member of Parliament now on active service. The others are:

Col. John Currie, Col. Harfy McLeod, Col. H. Baker, Col. H. H. McLean, Dr. Neely, Dr. Warnock, the Hon. Dr. Beland and Col. John J. Carrick.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Colonist, September 26, 1865)

Debating Class—The subject for debate tonight will be: "Resolved that Anticipation Affords Greater Pleasure than Realization." For the affirmative, Mr. T. Reid will speak. He will be opposed by Mr. J. [illegible]

Native Industries—It is estimated that the cranberry export from the Colony this year will amount to 2,000 barrels. [illegible]

Emigration from Germany—The Department of State at Washington has received [illegible]

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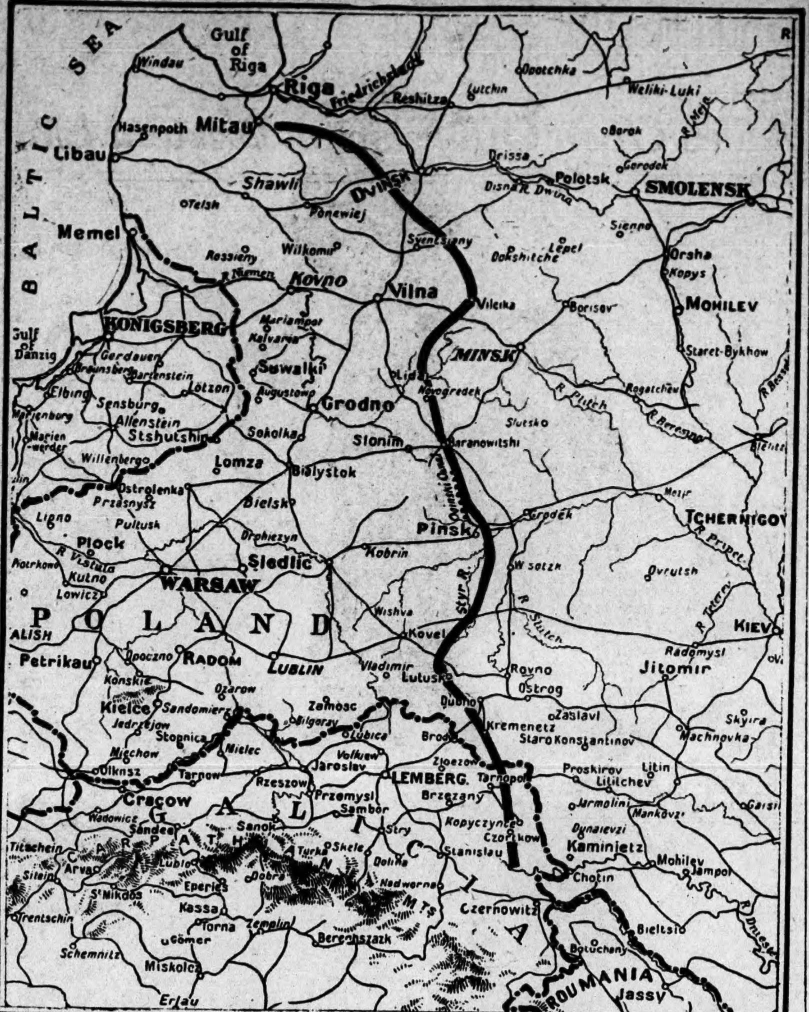
WHITE & MACKAY **SPECIAL**

Barred from Mails

OTTAWA, Sept. 25. — The International, a monthly paper edited by George Sylvester Viereck, New York, is prohibited from circulation in Canada in any way. Any person in possession of this publication from now on is liable to a fine not exceeding $5,000 and imprisonment.

Front Now Occupied by the Russians



BIG EVENTS ARE EXPECTED SOON

Bombardment of Belgian Coast Thought to Presage Enterprise of Great Magnitude—Balkan Crisis Not Decided.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The development of events in the Balkans and on the Belgian coast now monopolize attention, the Russian front being for the moment overshadowed.

So far as the Balkans are concerned, the present crisis is considered more suited to military than diplomatic action, one minister stating that great developments are imminent. Since Monday last there has been a more or less continuous bombardment of Ostend, Zeebrugge and other points on the Belgian coast, and according to rumor, an enterprise is being attempted which may change the whole aspect of the war on the Western front. Dispatches from Holland say heavy firing has been heard on many occasions during the week to the north of Ameland, which would indicate that if the Germans have not actually undertaken to oppose the British, ships of the German fleet ventured out to learn what was happening.

The Vienna report tells nothing except what has already been known. The Russians are believed to be more than holding their own at various points along their line.

In the West artillery is the only arm that could be considered at all active, while in the Dardanelles and on the Italian frontier the heavy gun-fire has been only occasionally interrupted to give local detachments of infantry an opportunity to attack.

VISITS HOSPITALS

Lady Perley Makes Tour of Establishments—Enthusiasm for War Among South Africans

MONTREAL, Sept. 25.—The Gazette's London correspondent cables the following news items last night:

"A tour of the Canadian hospitals in France has just been concluded by Lady Perley, accompanied by the matron-in-chief, Miss MacDonald, formerly of Montreal. Lady Perley expresses great satisfaction with the preparations made for the care of the wounded, though at the time of her visit the hospitals were not busy. She considers that the sites selected on the coast are admirable.

"F. W. Sumner, Agent-General for New Brunswick, and W. S. Fisher, of St. John, N. B., who visited Sir Charles Tupper this week, report that he is in good spirits and mentally alert, although at the moment incapacitated from walking about. His grandson, Lieut. Reginald Tupper, of the 16th Battalion, is convalescent, in London.

"'A bottle of water and three biscuits daily composed the rations served out to Botha's army in the recent campaign,' says a young English-Dutch trooper encountered by the correspondent. Having gone through the German-African campaign in safety, he and a party of comrades have come to England at their own expense to enlist for Flanders, being too impatient to wait for the contingent which is to be raised by South Africa. The young troopers anticipate that General Louis Botha will be given a close run in the elections by Hertzog. He believes the latter to be loyal, but says he is very jealous of internal autonomy for South Africa.

"The intense enthusiasm of the overseas people is exemplified by the fact that the young trooper's family has already lost a father, killed in German-Africa, a son wounded at the Dardanelles, and a daughter lost on the Lusitania, yet the mother, who accompanied her son to England, is quite willing that he should enlist again."

USED MAILS TO DEFRAUD

Number of Attorneys Arrested on Serious Charge—Bail Furnished for All but One

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 25.—Three attorneys, one automobile dealer, and one real estate agent, all of San Francisco, were arrested today under indictments returned recently by the Federal grand jury, charging eighteen California and Oregon men with conspiring to use the United States mails to defraud. The alleged fraud consisted in inducing people to pay them $150 fees for filing on Oregon timber land which was held by the Oregon & California Railway Company, and was not open to settlers.

The five men arrested today are Attorney W. A. S. N. Nicholson, Attorney Franklin Bull, Attorney Normand D. Cook, D. J. Connors, an automobile dealer, and Byron J. Sanford, a real estate operator. Sanford was the only one of the five unable to furnish $2,000 bonds. He is at the county jail.

CONVENTION COMES TO CLOSE

Trades and Labor Congress Ends Its Deliberations With Consideration of Many Resolutions on Various Subjects.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Sept. 25. — The "war convention" of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress concluded its deliberations this afternoon, after the consideration of ninety-five resolutions from delegates and from affiliated unions. Many, if not most of these resolutions suggest remedies for evils intensified by war conditions, a score of them dealing, for instance, with various phases of the congestion in the labor market expected after the war. One endorsed by the congress urged that the amelioration of the political, religious and civil oppression of the Jews in certain European countries be taken into consideration when terms of peace were drawn up.

War conditions were not by any means, however, the only subject taken up at the convention. Resolutions passed today ranged from requests for a law to licence private detectives, to an equally emphatic demand for "votes for women" throughout the Dominion. The problem which the Congress refused to touch at all was that of the liquor traffic. The recommendation of a committee to refuse the annual $50 grant to the social and moral reform campaigns of Canada, on the grounds that the latter body had made prohibition a plank in its platform, was amended to become a decision to withdraw affiliation from the organization altogether without giving any reason for doing so.

The congress decidedly rejected any suggestion that it favored a purely national labor movement in Canada, and went on record as "reaffirming its previous resolutions that it do all in its power to further advance the cause of international trades unionism in Canada." After a warm debate occupying most of this morning, it also went on record as in favor of Provincial Federations of Labor, but rejected all resolutions urging the formation of a labor party in Canada.

WILL BAR WAY TO TURKEY'S AID

Report Says That Grand Duke Nicholas Will Throw Army Into Bulgaria if That Country Joins Central Powers.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Grand Duke Nicholas with a great new Russian army will bar the way of the Austro-Germans to Constantinople if Bulgaria strikes in for the Teutonic allies or permits the passage of their armies across Bulgarian territory. This sensational report was current in London today.

There was, of course, no official confirmation possible, but the report persisted. In brief, the explanation was that the allies, realizing that Bulgaria could not be depended upon to support their cause, and that the aid of Greece and Roumania was uncertain, long ago foresaw that the Germans would attempt to go to the aid of the Turks and made their preparations accordingly. Constantinople for ages has been the obect of all Russian diplomacy. Its possession is vital to her. It is of vastly greater moment than the temporary loss of Galicia or Courland.

With this in view, it was asserted, the Grand Duke Nicholas was craftily withdrawn from the west under an apparent cloud of disgrace and sent to the Caucasus, not as a lowering of rank, but really to prepare for the day when the Balkan situation should come to a head and means would have to be taken to prevent the Germans and Austrians from going to the assistance of the hard-pressed Turks at the Dardanelles.

From the day when the Czar embraced Grand Duke Nicholas in farewell at the railway station in Petrograd, not a word has come of the activities of the former commander-in-chief of the Russian forces.

It is declared that he has been busy assembling the Russian ships at their great Black Sea base, Odessa, and mobilizing near that port every available Russian regiment to be ready for embarkation in case invasion of Bulgaria proves necessary following success of the rush through Serbia contemplated by the Germans, which report declares is imminent.

Russia's command of the Black Sea is established. It is believed that when German invasion of Serbia really begins, and particularly if Bulgaria actively or passively assists in it, the Grand Duke Nicholas will come at once, cross the Black Sea to either Varna or Burgas, in Bulgaria, probably the latter, and striking through Eastern Rumelia along the line of the Jamboli railroad, will cut the Sofia-Constantinople railroad near Tirnova, in the valley of the Maritan river. This route for Russia's armies would be vastly shorter than the long road of the German forces through the Moravia valley of Serbia and across Bulgaria, and unless Greece and Roumania should actively assist the Bulgarians, they would be left unaided to bear the shock of the Russian forces.

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HOMESTEAD ENTRIES

Fewer Grants of Free Land Are Recorded—Many Aliens Among Number

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—Homestead entries in Western Canada for the first seven months of this year totalled 10,273, a decrease of 3,143, as compared year. There were 2,954 fewer entries in Saskatchewan, 2,092 fewer in Alberta and 145 fewer in British Columbia. In Manitoba the entries this year have totalled 2,150, as compared with 2,092 last year.

It is interesting to note that during July homestead entries were made by 22 Germans and 161 Austro-Hungarians, with the corresponding period of last

MANY ZEPPELINS MEET DISASTER

Correspondent Reports That Forty-Two German Air Monsters Have Been Destroyed Since War Began.

GENEVA, Sept. 25.—A correspondent learns from a reliable source in Friedrichshafen that the German headquarters staff admits the loss of 33 Zeppelins and nine Parseval airships since the war began up to August 1, 1915. Since that date, a further report states, two Zeppelins and one Parseval are missing. The majority of the airships were brought down by the Allies' aerial guns and the rest suffered accidents while landing.

The average cost of these airships is over $500,000, while the newest cost nearly double that sum. Therefore Germany has lost over $25,000,000 in a year in her airships, bombs from which have killed and wounded 500 persons.

C. G. Grey, editor of The Aeroplane, discussing The Daily Express reports that Zeppelins are being removed from Brussels to Antwerp, and the fact that Zeppelins are now frequently seen over Holland, suggests that the activities of British and French aviators have caused the Germans to make a radical change in their plans.

Recently many airship sheds in Brussels and Ghent have been destroyed, and Mr. Grey thinks the German intention is that the raiding headquarters for Zeppelins shall in the future be established at Liege or some point in Germany. Thence they will fly to Antwerp, where they will only descend to renew their petrol supply and take up the bombs for raids on England.

In this way, too, they would have a better chance of evading the Allies' aviators operating from Flanders.

BELGIAN RELIEF WORK,

Rockefeller Foundation Spent Large Sum on Supplies for Stricken People

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The expenditure of nearly $1,000,000 for relief in Belgium, the appropriation of funds for medical work and research and investigation of conditions in Belgium, Holland, Poland and Serbia, was the work done by the war relief commission of the Rockefeller Foundation in Europe up to January 1, 1915. A review of the Foundation's activity after the outbreak of the war and up to January 1, was made public today as the second part of its annual report.

The commission expended for Belgium's relief $1,185,146, and later received refunds for expenses of ships and for the cargo of the steamer Masspequa from the commission for relief in Belgium, amounting to $199,107, making the net amount expended by the Foundation in this phase of its work $986,038. This sum purchased more than two million pounds of rice; 27,000,000 pounds of flour; 2,000,000 pounds of beans, peas and lentils; 250,000 pounds of bacon and large amounts of coffee, lard, salt, sugar, milk and new and old clothing. In addition to purchasing food, the Foundation acted for several months as the receiver for clothing for Belgium, maintaining a temporary office in New York for that purpose.

STREET CAVES IN

More Than Score of Persons Injured in Second Accident in Twenty-Four Hours

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Another cave-in of the street over the subway under construction in Broadway near Thirty-Eighth Street occured tonight. Seven ambulances were sent to the scene. Cries for help were heard from a number of persons who were thrown into the pit.

The scene of the disaster was within a mile of the accident which occured last Wednesday when seven persons were killed in a cave-in of the partly constructed subway on Seventh Avenue and 25th Street.

Three persons were injured tonight as a result of the accident. Nearly twenty others, who were thrown into a huge pit, were rescued uninjured. The police are confident that no one had been killed, but continued to search the debris for several workmen. The accident occurred a few blocks from the heart of the theatre district shortly before eight o'clock, Broadway being crowded with people.

The weakening of supports in the subway, due to the weight of the traffic is believed to have caused the superstructure of beams and planking to collapse.

COMMISSIONER AT CHICAGO

Sir Charles Davidson and Crown Counsel Make Stopover en Route to Coast

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—Sir Charles Davidson and Mr. John Thompson, K.C., stopped in Chicago tonight on their way to Victoria, B.C., to make inquiry as to frauds alleged in connection with the purchase of war supplies.

Sir Charles said the inquiry in Prince Edward Island already had disclosed false profits amounting to thousands of dollars, and that several dealers had been forced to return money.

GARMENT WORKERS' STRIKE

Chicago Police Are Held in Readiness in Case of Emergencies on Monday

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 25.—Chief of Police Healey today ordered all police furloughs to be cancelled, and summoned his chief assistants to lay plans for emergencies in anticipation of a strike of 40,000 garment workers on Monday.

Leaders of the garment workers, who are members of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of Chicago, declared tonight that a strike was inevitable and would be called at noon on Monday. Labor leaders contended that the strike, if called, would affect all members of the organization in the United States.

Italian Admiral Resigns

ROME, Sept. 25.—The cabinet has accepted the resignation of Vice-Admiral Viale, the Minister of Marine. Premier Salandra assumes the portfolio provisionally. The retirement of the minister is attributed to ill health.

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REGARD OUTLOOK AS PROMISING

Optimism as to Future of Campaign Is Prevalent Among All Classes in the Russian Capital.

PETROGARD, Sept. 25.—In quarters that know, and indeed in rather wider circles, a strongly optimistic wave has during the last couple of days been rapidly spreading. The official bulletins of the progress of the war are not sufficient to account for this feeling. Certainly the successful withdrawal from Vilna has straightened the Russian front, but there is no visible slackening of German efforts, and the advance of the enemy continues.

Various rumors were afloat of difficulties and even disasters to this and that unit.

One report was that one regiment of Cossacks found itself in a tight place during the retirement, but it extricated itself with the fertility of resourcefulness which is characteristic of these brilliant irregulars. A certain infantry regiment, it is also believed, was compelled to fight its way back through surrounding Germans. It broke through with some loss, but inflicted much greater and brought back half a battalion of prisoners.

At one point the Germans came on with the calm assurance that there was nothing to oppose them, inasmuch as the Russians had no ammunition and the Germans were indulging in their characteristic lavish expenditure of shells. It turned out, however, that the German shells were missing vital spots, and that the Russians had just got up a full supply of all kinds of munitions.

The Russians lay low until the Germans' confident advance, in the usual close array, was nearly up to the outer range of wire entanglements. Then everything was let go at once, and a storm of artillery, maxim and rifle fire simply swept the German forces out of existence. Eight thousand corpses strewed the ground before the Russian positions, and of those who got away scarce one was unwounded.

All this, however, is insufficient to account for the wave of optimism. There are reasons, other than those of a military or naval character, with which it is, of course, impossible to deal, but perhaps it may be said in both branches of Russia's fighting forces there has recently been a very considerable increase of striking power.

Upon the details which underlie this simple statement is doubtless based the optimism among those who know. The wider public reflects that everything which has been happening in the last few weeks, in Russia, makes for the victory of the Russian arms.

CONGESTION OF FREIGHT

General Manager of Japanese Steamship Line Refers to Lack of Tonnage on Pacific

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 25.—General Manager Kafuku, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, replying to a cablegram concerning alleged monopolizing of space by favored shippers, writes from Osaka saying that the eight steamers of the line are scarcely able to care for the trans-Pacific trade, to say nothing of the congestion that will follow withdrawal of the Pacific Mail boats.

The company is adding a 10,000-ton liner to the transpacific fleet. Mr. Kafuku says his company has a contract under which the greater part of the ships' cargo space is used for overland freight, but this contract has been in operation for several years.

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THE SITUATION REVIEWED

It is told that Lord Kitchener was talking long and earnestly with a young soldier in a hospital, and when he left a nurse asked the soldier if the War Secretary had said when he thought the war would end. The young fellow replied "No; but he asked me when I thought it would." This is probably not true, but fiction is as valuable sometimes as truth, and it is in this connection, for what we propose to do in this article is to answer at one time the hundred and one questions we are being asked. Some of the questions are similar to that attributed to Lord Kitchener; but more generally the request is for an expression of opinion as to the general situation. Premising that one person is about as likely to arrive at a correct estimate of the actual state of things, we shall mention a few things that may assist readers in forming their own conclusions.

In the first place, let a general glance over the whole field be taken. There are several fields of activity. One is the North Sea; another is the Baltic; another is the Western front; another is the Eastern front; another is in the Caucasus; another is at the Dardanelles; another is on the Austro-Italian frontier; another is in Serbia, and yet another is in Mesopotamia. Of these nine theatres of war two may be eliminated as of minor importance, namely Mesopotamia and the Caucasus. Nothing is likely to occur in either of these places that will have any decisive effect on the outcome of hostilities. Standing alone the Baltic is not important, but in connection with German operations in the direction of Riga and the possible chance of Sweden uniting with Russia, it may become so. Regarding the remaining six fields of activity there is only one in which an isolated success could have anything like a decisive effect, and that is the Dardanelles. If these were forced and Constantinople were taken by the Allies, a new chapter in the war would be opened, but even this would not necessarily mean the immediate end. We are unable to think of any single event on either the Western, Eastern or Italian fronts that would be decisive.

Next let us consider the actual status in the six fields which are intrinsically of great importance. In the North Sea we continue supreme and the submarine campaign, from which Germany expected so much, has been a failure from every point of view except as an exhibition of savagery. On the Western front the most unfavorable estimate of the situation can only be that a deadlock exists; but the Allies are very much stronger than they were six months ago, and the Germans cannot be as strong. On the Eastern front along the greater part of the long line the Russians are now meeting with success. Only in one place, the extreme north are the Germans able to press their offensive, and there only slowly. In the centre and the south the Russians have now for upwards of a week been forcing the enemy back at important points. At the Dardanelles progress has been made. The French War Office reports the destruction of a Turkish position of great importance, as it was one by which reinforcements reached the enemy on the Gallipoli Peninsula. The Italian army has held all the positions taken by it and is gaining new ones.

A word or two may be said about the position of the Russians. Many persons regard retreat and defeat as meaning the same thing; but they are widely different. A retreat may be a prelude to success. The famous retreat of Sir John Moore in Spain was far from being a defeat. Wellington's retreats in the Peninsula were only preliminary to triumphant success. The retreat from Quatre Bras to Waterloo, which the Duke ordered after the defeat of the Prussians at Ligny, brought about the downfall of Napoleon. The retreat of the Russians on Moscow meant the destruction of the invading army. In the present war the retreat to the Marne was the prelude to a victory which changed what seemed like an immediate German success to what is now admitted was a complete failure.

Let us now remind ourselves of what Germany expected. Germany, and of course Austria, counted upon the neutrality of Great Britain; instead of neutrality she finds in Britain a staunch foe with millions in the field, and one that has up to date rendered her naval preparations worse than useless. She expected that Belgium would be passive; but the little kingdom put up a stout resistance and upset all the plans of the Teutons. She expected by a sharp and sudden attack to bring France to her knees in a few weeks; she finds France today stronger than at the beginning of the war. She expected to be free after a brief campaign in the West to be able to throw all her weight against Russia; but the Czar's forces have inflicted terrific punishment upon the Teutonic armies, so that such successes as the latter have obtained may any day be converted into disaster. She expected that Austria would make an easy conquest of Serbia and thus open a way to Constantinople; and Serbia hurled the invaders back and now, after fourteen months of war her territory is inviolate. She expected the Turks to drive the British out of Egypt and the result has been that Great Britain has formally taken Egypt out of the hands of the Turks. She expected South Africa to rise in successful rebellion, she has seen the loyal men of that Dominion take from her a possession in Africa more valued than any of her overseas possessions. She expected Italy to be neutral, but that kingdom is one of her most formidable foes.

The Allies have more men in the field than ever before and they are better supplied with arms and munitions. The Teutonic allies must of necessity have fewer fighting men than they had a year ago, and their vast supply of munitions must necessarily be much reduced, not only because of the enormous amount expended, but because of a shortage of material.

We do not think exception can be taken to any of the statements made above, and now we ask each reader in view of them and bearing in mind that no single gain by either side, however important it may be, is likely to bring the war to an end, to form a logical conclusion for themselves as to the promise of the present situation.

ISOLATION OF VICTORIA

Our attention has been directed to what seems to be a somewhat serious state of things in connection with the trade of this city. Three steamship companies handle practically all the trade of the Mainland coast between Vancouver and Portland Canal, namely, the Canadian Pacific, the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Union Steamship Company. The latter is the only one of the three whose vessels call at ports between Vancouver and Prince Rupert, and therefore it handles all the business of the various industrial centres between those points. This company does not send its steamers to this port, and we are informed that if merchants in Victoria desire to send goods to, say, Powell River or Rivers Inlet, or anywhere else along that strip of coast, they must pay the charges of the Canadian Pacific or the Grand Trunk Pacific on them between here and Vancouver. They are thus under a very serious handicap and are debarred from participating in a business that is even now large and is certain to grow to greater proportions.

Just what can be done to remedy this unfortunate state of things is not very clear, but the subject is one calling for the consideration of the Board of Trade at the earliest possible day. No legitimate means should be left untried if they give promise of removing the handicap under which our merchants labor at present.

FALSE ECONOMY

The proposal of the Civic Retrenchment Committee that the salt-water fire protection system shall be discontinued in order to save money will strike most people as the falsest kind of economy. A time like the present is not one for reducing the efficiency of the Fire Department. If any savings can be made without endangering the welfare of the city, by all means let them be made, but to do away with an exceedingly valuable protection simply to save what its maintenance costs would, in our judgment, whatever it may be worth, be an exceedingly grave mistake. The Committee will not undertake to say that the danger of fire will hereafter be less than it has been, and the argument that the Sooke Lake supply of water obviates the necessity for the salt-water system is not sound. What is needed in the case of a fire in the business section is as much water as possible, and no one need pretend that there will be as much available without the salt-water as there is with it. Moreover, a strong and persistent effort is being made to secure a reduction of insurance rates, and this will be very seriously handicapped by anything which may, even theoretically only, reduce the efficiency of the Fire Department.

HOURS OF WORK

We observe that the Trades and Labor Congress has suggested that the unemployment situation may be met by reducing the hours of labor, and that the government is to be asked to provide for a six-hour day instead of one of eight hours. We are not advised if this proposal relates only to government work, or if there is to be a corresponding reduction in wages. But whatever may be the idea in these respects, the principle of the proposal is all wrong.

The most amazing fallacy of the day is that the less men work the better off they will be. If there was a lot of money in a tank, which was replenished as rapidly as the contents were drawn off from some supply exterior to the community, whether men work a certain number of hours or did not work at all would make no difference; but it ought not to be necessary to tell organizations of working men that all wealth is the product of labor expended upon the resources of nature and that the amount of wealth produced is dependent upon the amount of labor expended. Theoretically the wages a man receives is his share of the wealth his labor produces. Doubtless he does not always get his full share, but that is another question and is not involved in the consideration of the hours of labor. A six-hour day is proposed. Nothing having been said as far as we know about a corresponding reduction in wages, we therefore assume it is not contemplated. Then we have this astonishing suggestion that, at a time when the production of wealth is low, workmen shall receive as much for producing less. If a reduction both of hours and wages is proposed, that would be objectionable, because wages are low enough now.

What is needed is more not less work. Experience seems to have demonstrated that there is a reasonable maximum of time, which men ought not to exceed in their daily employment if they are to produce the best results for themselves individually or the community as a whole; but we lay it down as a sound economic principle that no community can be at its best unless all its members are devoting the profitable maximum of their energies, mental and physical, to the production of wealth in one form or another. Reduction of hours of work means a reduction in the production of wealth, when that reduction goes below the maximum of efficiency. In the long run short hours mean "short commons."

PURCHASES OF MUNITIONS

There is considerable dissatisfaction in the Far West of Canada regarding the placing of orders for the purchase of materials for use in connection with the war. The opinion is very general that, while it might be unfair to say there has been discrimination in favor of the East, the West has not received the consideration to which it is entitled. We are not going to express any definite view on the point, because we are not sufficiently conversant with all the facts to feel warranted in doing so; but the wide prevalence of the opinion referred to seems to be prima facie evidence that there is some foundation for it.

Those most interested in the matter think that, if on the purchasing committee the Far West was represented, results more satisfactory to this part of Canada would be attained, and even if this should not prove to be the case there can hardly be any reasonable doubt that an appointment of that kind would tend to remove any feeling that an undue monopoly of war orders is enjoyed by the East. We think one member of the committee, which we understand is purely an honorary organization, is a resident of Winnipeg; but Winnipeg has long ago ceased to be "the West." We hope Sir Robert Borden will see his way clear to meeting the wishes of the people of this Coast in this matter.

A POINT FROM GOWANDA

It may be recalled that The Toronto Globe, replying to a letter from Sir Richard McBride, laid a good deal of stress upon the fact that certain persons in the East, who had bought Fort George town lots, had a right to expect the British Columbia Government to see that the progress they anticipated materialized. This has led Mr. L. E. Hedlund, of Gowanda, to write a letter to our contemporary, and in it he relates the history of that place. Thousands of mining claims were located in that vicinity; the Government laid out a townsite. Everything was so promising that the town had no less than three banks, and was about the liveliest place anywhere between the two oceans. Now everything has gone to wreck and ruin, and rusting tools and machinery of all kinds used in mining are to be found in tumble-down buildings and out in the bush. Yet The Globe does not seem to have taken the position that the Ontario Government has any responsibility in the premises, and doubtless, if pressed for an answer, would say the Government had none, and if it did it would be quite correct. No Government can be expected to stand sponsor to every so-called "investment" that is put on the market. The Globe's correspondent points out that by the construction of the Pacific Great Eastern and, many miles of excellent highway the British Columbia Government has endeavored to facilitate the development of the region of which Fort George, or we suppose we must now say Prince George, is the logical centre. In passing, we may mention that the Provincial Government has been assailed by the Opposition for doing these very things. We fear that in the view of The Globe and that of the Liberal party in British Columbia the case of Sir Richard McBride is one of "you'll be damned if you do; you'll be damned if you don't."

The usual amount of Saturday guessing came over the wires yesterday. It related principally to the Balkans. The most that anyone is warranted in saying is that the outlook is uncertain.

The motor car may supersede the horse, but it is not likely to take the place of the cow, although one sometimes comes across a piece of beefsteak tough enough to have been part of a tire.

It is said that President Wilson has notified Vienna that the United States will not be content with the departure of Dr. Dumba from Washington on leave of absence. No other Government would under similar conditions.

Capt. von Papen, whose correspondence insulting the American people has been published, says a most ungentlemanly use has been made of what were private letters. Nothing is private which shows how official representatives of a nation regard the people of another.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letters to the Editor will be printed except over the proper signature of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Voters' List

Sir,—The last day for registering voters in this term is Monday, October 4, and as there are a large number of persons eligible to register who were not qualified when the list closed in April last, it is imperative that they should make application to go on the list at once.

Conservatives are requested to assist in this work, and make it their business for the next eight days to have their friends registered.

To facilitate the work the following gentlemen, who have the necessary qualification, will be pleased to register those who are eligible:

S. Greenhalgh, Yates and Government.
T. Gough, Empire Cigar Store, Douglas.
J. Wachter, Clarence News Stand.
H. Hartley, Fort and Government St.
H. E. Wallis, Hillside Drug Store.
W. W. Gardiner, Cook and Pandora.

A qualified commissioner will also be in attendance at The Colonist Office every evening, and the rooms of the Conservative Association will be open from 9 a.m. until 10 p.m. every day until the list closes.

The necessary qualifications to go on the list are; That the applicant is a British subject, over 21 years of age; must have resided in the Province 6 months; been a resident in Victoria 1 month, and not on any other list in the Province.

W. H. PRICE,
Hon. Secretary, Victoria Conservative Association.
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 25, 1915.

An Explanation

Sir—In your very complimentary write-up with regard to my son, Noel Bagshawe, having obtained a commission in the R. F. A., I wish it to be distinctly understood that this was not one for any special act of valor in the field, though doubtless he, like all our other brave boys, has fearlessly done his duty. On the recommendation of his colonel he was granted a commission in the Royal Field Artillery, which was offered him from England. He would be the last to claim any special distinction for himself, and in justice to him, I would ask you to insert this explanation in your next issue and oblige.

E. C. B. BAGSHAWE.
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 25, 1915.

INTENDED TO BREAK TREATY WHEN MADE

Germany Concluded Agreement With Luxemburg in 1902, While Planning Its Future Violation

M. Paul Helmer, the famous Alsatian barrister, writing in The Matin, states that besides the disregard which Germany has shown for the treaty by which Belgian neutrality was safeguarded, and the breaches of The Hague convention which she has committed, a further disregard of treaty engagements is furnished in the case of the Grand Duhcy of Luxemburg. It is well known, says M. Helmer, that on the first day of hostilities Germany occupied the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg and sent troops across from Prussia to France and from Belgium to Alsace-Lorraine.

Following on the treaty of Frankfort, Germany took over the rights of the French Compagnie de l'Est which was working the railway lines belonging to the Guillaume-Luxemburg railway system. It was only in 1902, however, that the Guillaume Railway Association recognized the rights of the German empire, by virtue of an agreement which was ratified by the Grand Duchy a few months later, in a treaty in which it was stated that the German imperial Government undertook never, at any time, to make use of the railway lines which were worked by her in the Grand Duhcy for the transport of troops or of war material. In the case of war in which Germany took part the German Government further promised not to make use of these railway lines for any purpose which would affect the neutrality of the Grand Duchy. This undertaking was entered upon by Germany in 1902, that is to say at a time when the Prussian military administration was building strategic railways preparatory to carrying out the attack on France, which presupposed the occupation of Luxemburg, and of a part of Belgium, and which was eventually realized in the Summer of 1914.

M. Helmer points out that Germany did not, therefore, merely break her engagements in 1914, owing to unforeseen circumstances and because "necessity knows no law," but that in 1902, the empire was making engagements which it had already decided not to keep.

A Problem

Canadian journals have been requested by the censor not to publish details of munitions of war equipment in preparation. Consequently, when a New York dispatch described the operations at the Aviation School in Toronto, and a wonderful airship constructed there, the whole on the authority of one of the instructors, this journal did not use the story. But we find it printed under double column heads in an Ottawa paper, issued under the shadow of the censor's office. Nor can it do much harm since it was printed the same day in New York.—Vancouver News-Advertiser.

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SAANICH PLATOON

Newly Organized Corps Will Parade at the Royal Oak Hall

There will be a parade of the Saanich Platoon, which is attached to the Victoria Volunteer Reserve, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock, at the Royal Oak Hall. All who have enlisted, and others who would like to join, are asked to attend. There will be competent instructors prepared to drill the newly organized corps.

GIVEN COMMISSION

Pte. J. L. L. Johnston, Who Left Here With 30th Battalion, Is Now Lieutenant in Leinster Regiment

Pte. J. L. L. Johnston, who left Victoria in February with the 30th Battalion, has been gazetted second lieutenant in the 2nd Battalion, Leinster Regiment. Pte. Johnston enlisted in the 50th Gordon Highlanders in November last, on returning from the northern interior with Mr. Jack Milligan's survey party. He has served in the trenches with the 7th Battalion—to which he was transferred—since the first week in May.

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NATIONAL RESERVE

Well Attended Recruiting Meeting Held in Saanich With Object of Forming Company

A recruiting meeting was held in Tolmie School, Boleskine Road, on Tuesday, for the purpose of organizing a company of the National Reserve of Canada. Mr. J. C. Richards presided. There was a good attendance considering the short notice.

Major Tait outlined the history of the movement in England, Canada and British Columbia. Captain Grimason and Lieut. Yates also spoke on the benefit of having trained men in case of an invasion by the enemy. Mr. R. Owen, chairman of the Saanich School Board, offered the use of the grounds and the basement of Tolmie School for drill purpose. Twenty men have already signed the roll from the Maywood district. Another meeting will be held on September 30 to enroll recruits and form a company. A good attendance of the residents is requested.

Officer Resigns

VERNON, B.C., Sept. 24.—Major J. Perry, late of the 6th Hussars, has taken over the command of the 30th B.C. Horse and is now in charge of the alien internment camp, in view of the resignation of Major Charles Clarke.

NOW CALLED MATTAWA

C. P. R. Changes Name of Freight Steamship Plying in Atlantic Trade

The C. P. R. transatlantic steamship Franktor, which was purchased by the company to augment its fleet of freight steamships plying between England and Canada, has been renamed Mattawa, according to advices received at the local offices of the line.

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SMART SQUADRON IS ANXIOUS FOR SERVICE

Victoria Independent B. C. Horse at Full Strength, Seeks Permission to Recruit as Regiment.

The Victoria Independent Squadron B.C. Horse, under the command of Major E. C. J. Henniker, was organized on June 14, 1915, and on June 30 was up to peace strength, namely, seventy-eight. On July 2, authority was granted to increase to war strength, and on July 23 the full complement of 123 was reached. The officers are: Captain Spurgeon, who saw service in South Africa; Lieut. A. H. Lawder, Lieut. Dunsford, Lieut. W. E. Ekins, and Lieut F. P. Barton, all of whom have passed the Officers School of Instruction at Vernon, and who are therefore fully qualified cavalry officers.

Every officer and man has taken the oath to go overseas when called upon, and all are anxious for the opportunity to go to the front as soon as possible.

The N.C.O.'s are all men who have had past experience, and thoroughly understand their business.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught expressed his pleasure on the smartness of the Squadron and remarked that "they should have their horses." It is hoped that authority will shortly arrive from Ottawa to mount all the men. At present there are only sixteen horses, including the officers' mounts. Ammunition is also sadly needed to give the men practice in shooting.

Field days are held every week, and the work carried out is exceptionally good; also route marches take place twice a month. The last one, to Colwood and back, twenty-two miles, was a great success, only one man falling out through faulty boots.

Since formation the Squadron has sent away the following numbers:

11th C.M.R., C.E.F.	30
Platoon of Cyclists	16
67th Batt. C.E.F., W.S.	7
Can. Pioneer Batt. C.E.F.	4
C.A.M.C., Field Hospital	1
50th Gordon Highlanders	1
Discharged to enlist in England	1
Total	60

The Squadron, notwithstanding, is at full strength, and it is sincerely hoped that leave may be given to permit them to go to regiment strength, when their sphere of usefulness would greatly be increased.

Sir John French, in addressing the 2nd C.M.R.'s, told them that a time would come when mounted men will be needed. It is hoped that the Independent Squadron will then get their opportunity to prove their worth.

Previous Service Records

The total service of the present members in former corps is 329 years, and amongst some of those who have had military careers may be quoted the following:

Major E. C. J. L. Henniker—Ten years' service. Royal Jersey Light Infantry, Saskatoon Light Horse, 30th B. C. Horse.

Capt. K. B. Spurgin—Fifteen years' service. Northumberland Hussars, 5th Imperial Yeomanry, war service in South Africa, Queen's Medal, Cape Colony, Orange Free State; Transvaal and 1901 Bar; Yeomanry Long Service Medal.

Lieut. W. E. Ekins—Seven years' service. Bedfordshire Light Infantry, Saskatchewan Rifles.

Lieut. F. P. Barton—Four years. 1st Middlesex (Victoria Rifles).

S.S.M. J. A. Wren—Northumberland Hussars and 5th Imperial Yeomanry, war service South Africa, Queen's Medal, Cape Colony, Orange River Colony, Transvaal, 1901 and 1902 Clasps; Yeomanry Long Service Medal.

S.Q.M.S. N. Foster—Sixteen years' service. Army Service Corps, Scottish Corps, Transvaal Mounted Rifles, war service South Africa, Queen's Medal, Relief of Kimberley, Paadeburg, Driefontein, Johannesburg, Diamond Hill and Belfast Clasps; King's Medal, 1901 and 1902 Clasps.

Sgt. F. H. Simonds—Seventeen years' service. Royal Garrison Artillery, 16th Lancers, war service South Africa, Queen's Medal, Belfast, Orange River Colony and Cape Colony Clasps; King's Medal, 1901 and 1902 Clasps.

Sgt. G. W. Porter—Twelve years' service. Royal Horse Artillery, war service India, Medal, Indian Northwest Frontier.

Cpl. W. May—Five years' service. South African Constabulary, war service South Africa, Queen's Medal, Cape Colony, Orange River Colony, Transvaal, 1901 and 1902 Clasps.

Amongst others who have seen active service are: Tpr. S. Macdonald, South Africa, Queen's Medal, Cape Colony, Orange Free State, Transvaal, 1901 and 1902 Clasps.

Tpr. J. M. Ackland, South Africa, Queen's Medal and five Clasps.

Tpr. A. T. Hartley, South Africa, Queen's Medal and five Clasps.

Tpr. L. H. Johnson, South Africa, Queen's Medal and five Clasps.

Tpr. J. Thompson, South Africa, Queen's Medal and five Clasps.

LEGION OF FRONTIERSMEN

Headquarters, Camosun Building, 1203 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C., September 25, 1915. Regimental orders:

Parades—A mounted parade will be held today, at 10 a.m., from McCleave's Stables, Exhibition Grounds.

A foot parade will be held at the Drill Hall, on Tuesday, at 8 p.m., and on Friday, at 8 p.m., sharp.

Meeting—A general meeting will be held at headquarters on Wednesday, at 8 p.m. sharp. All members of the Victoria Mounted Rifles are invited to attend this meeting.

Dress—Full dress without holster.

By order.

S. ROWLINSON, Lieutenant.

POPULAR MUSICIAN ENLISTS WITH SCOTS

Mr. Robert Morrison, the well known and popular local vocalist, has enlisted with the 67th Batalion, Western Scots. He made application a few days ago, was accepted and sworn in, assuming the duties of a soldier immediately. Pte. Morrison came to Victoria from Scotland, and is exceptionally happy in the rendition of those songs in which Harry Lauder became famous. He will be an acquisition to the unit from the standpoint of its musical talent.

—Photo by Gibson

LIEUT. NOEL BAGSHAWE

Victorian who left here with 30th Battalion as a private, who was with 7th Battalion at the front since May 1, and who has now been given a commission in the Royal Field Artillery.

PLANNING TO MOVE TROOPS AT VERNON

Units Now in Training at Concentration Camp Will Be Brought to Coast Next Month.

The date of the demobilization of the central concentration camp at Vernon, B. C., has not been definitely settled, but it is expected that this step will be taken about the middle of October. Col. A. T. Ogilvie, the D.O.C., is now visiting there, having left yesterday to spend a few days in inspection. It is possible that he and Col. Duff Stuart, the camp commandant, will arrive at some conclusion as to when the troops which remain, after the dispatch of overseas drafts from the various battalions and the departure of the 54th Battalion, shall be moved to their Winter quarters on the coast.

According to the present arrangements the change will make little difference to Victoria, as the only corps now at Vernon to be brought here is a part of the ambulance corps, with a strength of something over one hundred. The officers in command and the rank and file will be accommodated at Work Point. The other units are to be established at Vancouver and New Westminster, the 62nd Battalion going to Vancouver and the 11th C.M.R. to Queen's Park, New Westminster. This will make the distribution, as between Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, as even as could be expected. Besides the 62nd, Vancouver will have the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders, which is being brought to full strength, while Victoria will have the 67th Battalion, Western Scots, and another overseas battalion which is to be raised as soon as those now engaged in taking on men have completed the work.

Victoria's New Battalion

The only thing certain about the latter unit, up to date, is that it has been authorized. Who will have command and other such details still have to be settled. There is a possibility that the Department of Militia and Defence, following the same policy as that adopted with the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders, of Vancouver, will instruct Lieut.-Col. Rous Cullin, commanding officer of the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers, to increase his strength to 1,000 odd officers and men for overseas duty. Col. Cullin has left for Ottawa to take the matter up with the authorities in person, and hopes, on his return, to be able to announce that the Fusiliers will proceed to the front as a unit. This is what they have been striving for during the past few months, and it is felt in military circles that their wish will be realized as soon as the Western Scots reach their full strength. The 88th Regiment, it is pointed out by those anxious to see it extended the same honor as the Seaforths, has the enthusiastic support of a large part of the community, as is strikingly shown by contributions received from citizens for the purchase of machine guns and other equipment.

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Many Favor Project — Next Tuesday the lists now open at the office of the Victoria and Island Development Association for the purpose of allowing all those interested in the project to instal salt water swimming baths here, will be closed. During the past week nearly 500 persons have signed the list, thereby going on record in support of the project and ready to give it practical assistance. This demonstration of public approval has proved particularly pleasing to the members of the committee, whose numbers will be increased at a public meeting to be held shortly.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Esquimalt Red Cross—In yesterday's report of the organization meeting of the Esquimalt Red Cross branch the name of Mrs. Wilson, who was elected treasurer, was inadvertently omitted.

Flag at Half Mast—In honor of Pte. Stephen C. Court, who recently gave his life for the Empire, the flag at the Parliament Buildings was at half mast on Friday and yesterday.

Another Remand—Charged with stealing a kodak and considerable silverware from the residence of Ald. A. E. Todd, a domestic named Claire Hill appeared before the magistrate again yesterday, and was remanded to Monday for sentence.

Dismissed Charge — Police Magistrate Jay yesterday had before him D. C. Hutchinson, who was accused of driving his motor car at an excessive rate of speed on Bay Street on the night of September 21. After hearing the evidence His Worship dismissed the case.

St. Andrew's Cathedral—This evening, the Rev. Father Anselm Wood will deliver the last of his series of addresses on Representative Catholic Citizens. The subject will be: "A Modern Catholic Citizen: Garcia Moreno, President of Ecuador." The evening service at the Cathedral begins at 7:30.

Chapters in Charge—During the week the following chapters of the I.O.D.E. will be in charge of the workrooms at the Temple Building: Monday, Florence Nightingale; Tuesday, Lady Douglas; Wednesday, Gonzales; Thursday, Esquimalt; Friday, Agnes Deans Cameron; Saturday, Camosun.

Cushions Not Wanted—It was stated yesterday at the headquarters of the local Red Cross Society that a communication had been received from Toronto to the effect that there was no longer any demand for cushions in the Red Cross shipments. This is because cushions occupy space which might otherwise contain more necessary articles. It is hoped that those who have been making a specialty of donating cushions will devote their energy to the production of regulation supplies.

Alderman Fullerton Ill—While chatting with Aldermen Porter, McCandless and Sargent in the mayor's office yesterday morning, Alderman W. F. Fullerton was suddenly seized with an attack of vertigo and collapsed. His fellow aldermen and some officials rendered assistance and Dr. Thomas was summoned. Alderman Fullerton quickly recovered, but he was ordered to his home, being conveyed there in an ambulance. His illness was but temporary, and last evening he was feeling no bad effects.

Seeks Civic Position—The time limit within which applications for the position of city solicitor, soon to be rendered vacant by the departure for Winnipeg of City Solicitor Robertson, expires tomorrow afternoon. So far five applications have been received by the City Clerk, the latest arriving yesterday from Mr. Lloyd Griffiths, assistant city solicitor, of Regina, Sask., who is also a member of the English bar. The applications will probably be referred to a special committee for consideration and report. The salary of the office has been fixed at $300 per month, but, in addition, the solicitor will be entitled to costs in any action won by the city.

Fire on Humboldt Street — Herbert Hounslow had a narrow escape from death when fire broke out last night at 9:10 o'clock in the old dwelling on Humboldt Street, in which he has been living of late. Passers-by saw smoke pouring from the place and sent in an alarm. When the fire apparatus arrived and the firemen broke into the house Hounslow was found lying on an old cot. He was hustled into the street, while attention was paid to the fire, which did little damage to anything except a quantity of rubbish in the room. Hounslow, when he reached the street, commenced abusing the firemen and police, and ended by being arrested and charged with drunkenness.

Successful Concert—The concert given by the Metropolitan Sunday School orchestra last Tuesday evening proved an entire success. A crowded house greeted the orchestra, which played in good form, the several numbers rendered being well received by those present. Miss N. Luney's deep contralto was heard to advantage in "Three Fishers Went Sailing." She responded to a hearty encore, as also did Mr. L. A. Young, whose cornet solo merited much praise. Mrs. Gleason recited "Through the Flood" in excellent style, and was compelled to give a double encore in order to satisfy her audience. The tenor solo by Mr. Geo. G. Watson was of a high order, and he delighted the audience with an encore number. Mr. Jno. Lea, a pupil of Mr. Watson's, pleased his hearers with his rendering of "Squire's When You Come Home," his well trained baritone being much appreciated. Miss Cora Shaw very efficiently fulfilled the duties of accompanist for the evening.

Hold Donation Party—St. Mary's, Oak Bay, branch of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions, held its first donation party on Wednesday afternoon last, in the beautiful grounds belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Shallcross, Foul Bay Road, which were offered for the occasion. Miss Cowley, the lady president, received her friends. Afternoon tea was served under the shade of trees and amongst ornomental flower beds. The donation table was in a conspicuous place, and was presided over by Mrs. P. T. Johnston and Miss Woods, who received the contributions of money, which amounted to nearly $30, and material suitable for making garments for the boys of the Alert Bay School and Columbia Coast Mission. Miss Cowley and the members of St. Mary's branch of the Women's Auxiliary extend their thanks to all those who helped to make the donation party a success by their attendance, and those who were unable to be present for the offerings they sent. Thanks are also extended to Mr. and Mrs. Shallcross for allowing the party to meet in such beautiful surroundings.

ROAD BULLETINS

The Island Automobile Association, through the secretary, Mr. C. L. Harris, has compiled the following information as a weekly bulletin on the condition of the roads of Vancouver Island, and the other portions of the Georgian Circuit:

To Brentwood and Saanich. West Saanich Road good via Douglas, Cloverdale and Quadra. The paving now being done on the lower section of this road will be complete by the end of the month.

There is a bad stretch on the Burnside Road from Tillicum to Wilkerson Roads.

Sooke Lake Road is now in the worst state it has been in for fifteen years. Condition deplorable.

Island Highway from Parson's Bridge to Colwood Hotel Road is rough, but from Colwood to Finlayson Arm very good. On certain parts of the Malahat from Finlayson Arm to water trough the ruts are getting very deep, and need attention. From there to Duncan the road is splendid. On the Maple Bay loop trip out of Duncan fourteen miles, skirting the Somenos and Quamichan Lakes, the roads are good.

From Duncan to Nanaimo the roads are good. Nanaimo to Nanaimo lake, roads for seventeen miles are bad. Filling could be done here for a few hundred dollars, and would offer for Nanaimo one of the best runs of the Island.

From Nanaimo to Campbell River the road is good with the exception of some spots where sandy conditions prevail.

Nanaimo to Alberni, good; to Great Central Lake, good.

From Port Angeles to Olympia the roads are being constantly repaired because in several places the conditions are very poor and detrimental to automobiling. From Olympia to Seattle, good. Seattle to Vancouver, good.

No Oregon report is to hand.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. W. Wallace Grime is recovering from the effects of his operation, and has returned to his home on Rithet Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. A. Tripp will spend the Winter months in Victoria, and have taken apartments at the Angela, Burdett Avenue.

The Ivy Leaf Social Club held its weekly drive on Thursday night at the K. of P. Hall, when a most pleasant evening was spent, quite a large number being present. The following were the winners: First lady, Mrs. Bates; second, Miss James; third, Mrs. Davies; first gentleman, Mr. Gardiner; second, Mr. Mansell; third, Mr. O'Connell.

Mr. Gomer P. Jones, general superintendent for the Hedley Gold Mining Company, operating a gold mine and 40-stamp mill in the Similkameen district, was the recipient recently of a handsome silver loving cup, suitably engraved, the gift of the company's staff. The occasion of the presentation, which was made at a large gathering in Hedley of employees of the company and of prominent residents of the town of Hedley, was Mr. Jones' fiftieth birthday. The chair was filled by Mr. Roscoe Wheeler, the company's mill superintendent, who briefly reviewed the harmonious relations that had existed between the employees and Mr. Jones throughout the period of fifteen years since the latter commenced his duties at the Nickel Plate mine. The gift was gratefully acknowledged by Mr. Jones, who is also favorably known in Victoria, he having been an occasional visitor to the city during the several years his daughter, Miss Avonia Jones, attended St. Margaret's School here.

Mrs. Mallandaine had a very pleasant at home and reunion on Friday with her old friends, to the number of about fifty. The occasion was the anniversary of her arrival from England fifty-three years ago, and also of her eighty-fourth birthday. Her friends of the early days presented her with many gifts of beautiful flowers and other tokens. Among those present were her sister, Mrs. A. A. Townsend, and Mr. C. E. Redfern, who arrived on the same ship with her. There are at present not more than seven or eight still living here out of the 300 or 400 people who arrived by the same vessel. Mrs. Mallandaine was assisted in receiving her friends by her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Lawrie, and also by Mrs. Townsend, and all joined in wishing her many more years of good health and happy returns of the day.

A most enjoyable and successful whist drive was held by the ladies' auxiliary of St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society at the home of Mrs. Ward, 46 South Turner Street, on Wednesday evening. The proceeds will be devoted to provide comforts for the soldiers at the front. The prize winners were: First lady, Miss Crossan; second, Mrs. R. McIntosh; consolation, Miss Angus; first gentleman, Mr. Hauslip; second, Mr. Ward; consolation, Mr. Dewhurst. At the close of the drive refreshments were provided by Mr. and Mrs. Ward, and prizes were presented by Mrs. Ward. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. and Mrs. Ward and Mr. C. Ridgard, who acted as master of ceremonies for the evening. The next drive will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Ridgard, 728 Hillside Avenue, on Wednesday, October 6.

FIRST AID WORK

Victoria Centre of St. John Ambulance Association Will Be Able to Report a Successful Year

The fourth annual meeting of the Victoria Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association will be held next Friday night, October 1, in the Rest Room of the Young Women's Christian Association Building, 912 Douglas Street. This will be a meeting of the local branch of the organization, while that recently announced in The Colonist for October 30 will be the annual meeting of the British Columbia Council of the Association, which has jurisdiction over all the local centres established in the Province.

The local committee will meet tomorrow afternoon, when an outline of the annual report of the work of the Victoria centre for the year now closing will be submitted for consideration. It is known that more classes for the regulation course of instruction in First Aid and Home Nursing were held since October 1, 1914, than in the two previous years combined, while the total number of members of classes instructed was in excess of 100 higher than during the whole of those two years. Further, the practical interest in the work of the centre is greater now than at any previous time since it was commenced.

The meeting next Friday night will be open to the public, and a numerous attendance is expected.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., September 25, 1915.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is low over this Province and fair, moderately warm, weather continues west of the Rockies, with fresh to strong westerly winds along the Washington Coast. Fair, cool weather prevails in the Prairie Provinces and heavy rains are reported in Northern Albeta.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	46	57
Vancouver	48	66
Kamloops	35	70
Barkerville	32	56
Prince Rupert	50	64
Atlin	40	50
Dawson, Y. T.	42	50
Calgary, Alta.	36	60
Winnipeg, Man.	42	46
Portland, Ore.	52	76
San Francisco, Cal.	54	64
Port Arthur	42	46
Nelson	40	67
Cranbrook	28	63
Fort George	26	64
New Hazelton	25	66

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ANTI-COMBINE COFFEE 1-lb. tin	35c
GOLD DUST or WHITE SWAN WASHING POWDER Large packet	20c
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CARES FOR OBLIGATION NOW DUE AT LONDON

City Makes Arrangements to Meet Indebtedness Through Treasury Certificates Maturing Early Next Month.

Renewal of treasury certificates to the amount of about £43,000, due in London on October 2 next, will be made by the City. On that date certificates to the amount of £143,000 fall due, but £100,000 will be met, leaving the balance to be renewed. The whole amount would have been taken up had the City been able to dispose of some $700,000 worth of local improvement debentures, now ready for sale. It was expected that these debentures would be sold, and out of the proceeds the certificates falling due in London would have been redeemed and money borrowed from the bank on local improvement account paid.

Because of the prevailing rate of exchange, the City will profit to a considerable extent on the £100,000 paid, as the exchange rate now favors the City. On a recent transaction on account of certificates held in London, the City profited through the favorable exchange situation to the extent of about $1,500.

Chief business before tomorrow evening's meeting of the City Council will be the consideration of the by-law to amend the Hired Vehicles By-law, in order to prescribe regulations for the "jitney" motor service. The by-law is now ready, and as practically all points have been studied by the members of the board, no time will be lost in making the new regulations law.

Expropriation Claim

Considerable interest has been aroused in Council circles by the action of Mr. W. J. Hanna in taking steps to provide for the arbitration of his claim for compensation for property expropriated for lane purposes between Pandora Avenue and Johnson Street in the block bounded by those streets and Blanshard and Quadra Streets. The City has been allowing the matter to hang fire since June, 1912, when the expropriation notices were served upon interested owners. Within the past two years no attempt was made to carry the work through to completion, as it would involve the expenditure of a considerable sum of money, which the City did not have available, and while the whole cost would ultimately have been levied against the owners benefited by the lane opening, the City would have been forced to find the money in the first instance wherewith to do the work. At tomorrow's meeting, Alderman Dilworth will suggest that a committee be appointed to interview the owners in an effort to come to some understanding whereby the work may be dropped, the owners to receive compensation for such damage as they had already sustained by reason of the City having tied up portions of their property under the expropriation notices

CHILDREN'S GARDEN PARTY IS ATTRACTIVE

Residence of Mrs. C. E. Pooley Is Scene of Enjoyable Red Cross Function—Largely Attended

The garden party given yesterday afternoon at "Fernhill," Esquimalt Road, the residence of Mrs. C. E. Pooley, for the children of the Lampson Street school, proved to be a most attractive event, there being an unusually large attendance.

The entertainment commenced shortly after 2:30 o'clock, and was not concluded until nearly 6 o'clock. While in progress, a long train of motor-cars lined the street adjacent to the grounds, and visitors were coming and going continually. Over $60 was taken at the gate alone, the total receipts, including the amount taken in at the various stalls and amusement centres, being well over $100. This sum, it is understood, will be donated to the Esquimalt branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society as a gift from the energetic needleworkers of Lampson Street School, who have, under the supervision of Miss Pooley, been accomplishing highly creditable results in the way of making supplies.

The grounds were admirably suited for the entertainment, the lawns being utilized for clock golf, races and other forms of entertainment, while advantage was taken of the shelter afforded by the trees for the establishment of a number of stalls, at which refreshments, candy and ice cream were sold.

Miss Pitts and Miss McDoull were in charge of the candy booths,, while Mrs. Nunn and Miss Slater maintained the ice cream stall. More than a score of tea tables were situated on another portion of the lawn, and they were very well patronized, Mrs. Jenner being in charge of the arrangements in that connection.

Children's Races

Among the items of the programme carried out by the children, were flat races for both boys and girls, thread and needle races, ribbon races, apple and potato races and a consolation race. Much interest was taken in each event, and the respective winners were presented with handsome trophies in the shape of books and toys donated through the generosity of the parents.

The "Generous Goose," which was under the charge of Mrs. Philip Musgrave and Mrs. Bessanette, was provided with a wealth of attractive surprise packages, which were competed for with much enjoyment.

A Punch and Judy show was enacted by members of the crew of H.M.C.S. Rainbow, who were also responsible for a short but much appreciated comic programme, those participating being Mr. C. Mason, R.M.L.I.; Seaman William Creed, Steward Craig and Stoker C. Jenkins.

The Red Cross workers of Lampson Street School were neatly attired in white dresses, with the Red Cross badge on their sleeves, thus keeping the initial purpose of the entertainment constantly before the notice of those present. They all thoroughly enjoyed themselves and demonstrated that they could play as well as work.

The party was under the immediate patronage of Mrs. Barnard, who was present during the greater part of the afternoon. Among those in attendance, besides the children, over a hundred in number, were Mrs. Henry Croft, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. C. E. Pooley, Mrs. R. H. Pooley, Rev. and Mrs. Baugh-Allen, Miss Baugh-Allen, Mr. T. H. Slater and Miss Slater, Mrs. J. H. Todd, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Luxton, Mrs. George Johnston, Mrs. Bodwell, Mr. Mantrop, Mrs. Nunn, Mrs. Millman, Mrs. Bessanette, Rev. E. G. Miller, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Sweeney, Miss Pooley, Mr. R. H. Pooley, Mrs. Philip Musgrave, Miss McDoull and many others.

To the committee in charge of the entertainment, of which Miss Pooley is director, is due much credit for the excellent organization which was exemplified in the success of the garden fete.

ESQUIMALT TEACHERS

Arrangements Made for Training in Basketball and Other Games—Dramatic Event Planned

The Esquimalt Teachers' Club having made a good start in its new activities, is by no means allowing enthusiasm to cool down. On Monday afternoon ten of the High School girls went to the club headquarters, the Y.W.C.A., and under the instruction of Miss Robb, their coach, played a lively game of basketball. Already three of the girls show decided basketball talent, and with practice a good all-star team will be formed.

On Wednesday and Friday the two advanced forms in the public school had a tryout, and Miss Carson, who is acting as their coach, announces that their team will, without doubt, carry off the cup.

The executive of the E. T. C. held a business meeting at which it was decided that Tuesday night from 7 to 8 o'clock, should be set aside for basketball. As some of the teachers have had considerable experience, the Esquimalt Teachers' Club may be expected to make its mark in Victoria athletics.

Miss Sheriff, the dramatic convener, is formulating plans for a play, to be staged by the E. T. C., probably about Christmas.

The Y.W.C.A. is awaiting to enroll girls as members of the gymnasium classes. At the Y.W.C.A. on Monday, about 7:30, those who wish to join will be enrolled.

RED CROSS BENEFITS BY RECENT DONATIONS

Cash Received Last Week Amounted to $741.06—Twenty Cases of Goods Dispatched Yesterday.

The Victoria and District branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society gratefully acknowledges the following donations and assistance received during the past week:

For the "Jam Shower," $3.50; A Friend, $21; Mrs. Blythe, $2.10; Miss Pauline Lange (monthly), $5; "Auld Reekie," $1.50; Red and Blue Cross Flower Guild, $81.91; Miss A. Turner, $10; G. H. Aylard, $50; W. Fisher (August and September), $5; Oak Bay Committee, $25; Sales, $12.50; collected by E. C. Foot, Ward 5, $8.20; collection boxes throughout city, $50.32; J. F. M. Pinkham (monthly), $5; Mrs. Ralph Higgins, $2; Lady Douglas Chapter I.O.D.E., $100; Miss S. M. Thornton (sales), $3; "Princess Mary," 50c; Mrs. Neame, $2; Mrs. McMaster, $3; Miss Foster, $2; Victoria Matinee Club, $76; Mrs. E. S. Williams, $2; North Cowichan Committee, Duncan, $250; Mrs. G. W. Wynne, $5; Belmont Bible Class, $10.

The final report of the committee concerned with the packing of the jam received last Wednesday is as follows: Total number of jars received, 3,566. These were packed in thirty-one barrels, each containing six dozen; four barrels, each containing four dozen; and 25 cases. A number of jars which proved unsuitable for packing were distributed to the military hospitals at the Willows and at Work Point, to the dockyard sick quarters, and to the outposts of the 88th and the 50th Regiments. Mrs. Home and her assistants wish to express especial thanks to Messrs. Pepin and Botte, who gave valuable assistance with the packing, and to Messrs. Rithet & Co., who gave twenty-five cases and packed twenty-five dozen; also to all those ladies and gentlemen who helped so generously in the not inconsiderable work of getting this large amount ready for shipment.

Twenty cases of goods represented yesterday's shipment from the local branch. This consignment does not include any of the Sock Day donations. The amount collected last week in cash donations was $741.06.

SALARY LIMIT IS FOUND ESSENTIAL

N. H. A. Makes It Clear That Retrenchment Will Be Necessary if Hockey Is to Carry on in East

MONTREAL, Sept. 25.—The National Hockey Association of Canada, at its meeting here today made it very definite that retrenchments were necessary if the game was to be carried on for the coming season, and decided that a salary limit would have to be adopted, commensurate with the reduction in attendance which they seem to expect for the coming Winter.

The exact limit was not decided upon, but will be announced shortly, probably at the same time when the schedule for the coming season will be adopted. When the meeting opened there was considerable talk of abandoning the game this season, but this was finally negatived with the understanding that expenses would have to be cut down. The Association will have the same number of clubs it had last year. The election of officers resulted in the unanimous nomination of the old executive officers.

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5TH REGIMENT HAS SPLENDID RECORD

Oldest Active Militia Unit of Province Has Done Yeomen Service Since Beginning of War

As the oldest existing regiment in the history of British Columbia, the 5th Regiment, C. G. A., pictures of which are published in this issue, occupies a unique position. An exceedingly interesting story could be told of its earlier activities, but none of the many creditable performances which stand to its credit equals the splendid part it has played since the recent outbreak of the world's great war. An outgrowth of the old British Columbia battery of Garrison Artillery and the Victoria Rifles, it was authorized on October 12, 1883, and for many years was the only military corps in the city. Through its ranks have passed large numbers of the pioneers, and it would be difficult to estimate the number of distinguished citizens who point with pride to the fact that they have worn the uniform of the 5th.

Major Dupont was the first commanding officer, and he succeeded by the following in the order named: Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden, Lieut.-Col. the Hon E. G. Prior, Lieut.-Col. F. B. Gregory, Lieut.-Col. Ross Munro, Lieut.-Col. J. A. Hall, Lieut.-Col. (now Major-General) A. W. Currie, Lieut.-Col. W. N. Winsby, and Lieut.-Col. R. Angus, the latter being the present O. C. All of these names will be familiar to Victorians. Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden, who died a few years ago, was the King's Printer for a long period and was a highly respected resident for many years. Lieut.-Col. Prior not only was a popular and enthusiastic officer, but was prominently identified with the political life of the Province. Lieut.-Col. Gregory now is a member of the Supreme Court bench of British Columbia. Lieut.-Col. Hall, after having commanded the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers from the time of its inception until the commencement of the war, organized the 30th Overseas Battalion, and now occupies a place on the explosives committee of Great Britain. Major-General Currie's present rank speaks for itself. He has been at the front for over a year and his merit has won high recognition. He was largely responsible for the organization of the 50th Regiment, Gordon Highlanders. Lieut.-Col. Winsby is in command of the 47th Overseas Battalion which is training at Vernon, and Lieut.-Col. Angus now has command of a 5th Regiment which is quite as smart and efficient as it ever was. It is a corps which won the unstinted praise of H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, after his very thorough inspection of the moveable armament corps and the various garrison batteries which it is providing for the defence of the port.

Home Defence Duties

Ever since last August the 5th Regiment has been on active duty. Home defence has been its chief responsibility. When Victoria was threatened, in the earlier months of the war, by a bombardment by the German Pacific fleet, it was this unit which was charged with doing what was possible—against what was likely to have proved heavy odds—for the protection of the community. The officers and men were ready at a moment's notice to man the guns of the various forts. They are still in that position, but now, it may be said without disclosing any military secret, are much better provided for the successful repelling of the enemy.

While this has been the principal function of the local artillerymen they have not been behind their fellow regiments in sending men on overseas duty. The first volunteer corps which left Victoria was from the 5th Regiment. It sailed, sixty-seven strong, on August 27, a little over three weeks after the declaration of war. Of that number four have been promoted to commissions and thirty-five are non-commissioned officers, ten wearing the stripes of a sergeant. This is a striking illustration of the calibre of the men who left Victoria at the call to arms from the unit which is most closely associated with the history of the community. Altogether it has sent overseas sixteen officers. Its detachments from the rank and file aggregate 400, every man of whom has been carefully trained in the very exacting duties of handling either field or garrison artillery. When it is remembered that the regiment's strength is placed at only 373, inclusive of the band, the fine record it has established may be better appreciated.

The names of the officers who are either at the front or in training with a view to going there, follow: Lieut.-Col. Winsby, Lieut.-Col. H. M. Robertson (Hospital Corps), Major Chester Harris, Capt. R. P. Clarke, Capt. Barton (chaplain), Capt. P. T. Stern, Capt. F. A. Robertson, Capt. W. Crockett, Capt. W. H. Langley, Lieut. H. Lettice, Lieut. H. K. Bovill, Lieut. H. M. Shaw, Lieut. H. K. Robinson, Lieut. H. C. Hoyle, Lieut. R. G. Baker and Lieut. Blackwood.

INTERCLUB TENNIS

Fairfield Wins All Its Matches With Civic Service in Tournament

An interesting inter-club tennis tournament took place at the Fairfield Road Tennis Club grounds yesterday between the Fairfield and Civic Service Clubs, the following being the results of the different sets: In the ladies' doubles, Miss Moreton and Miss Cuppage (Fairfield) beat Miss Castleton and Miss Griffiths 6—1, 6—0; Mrs. Thwaites and Miss Cuppage (Fairfield) beat Miss Scott and Miss Graydon, 6—2, 6—4. In the men's doubles, Peacock and Acton (Fairfield) beat Turner and Northcott, 6—3, 6—3; Thwaites and Greenwood (Fairfield) beat Foreman and Hall, 6—4, 6—2. In the mixed doubles, Miss Moreton and Llewellyn (Fairfield) beat Miss Griffiths and Bigwood, 6—2, 6—3; Miss Cuppage and Thwaites (Fairfield) beat Miss Castleton and McIndoe, 6—2, 6—0.

WINTER SUPPLIES ARE NEEDED AT FRONT

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Will Collect Garments for Use During Cold Weather

In planning the work for the coming Winter months, the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., will devote special attention to the field comforts department. The chapter fully realizes that there will be a very large demand for Winter supplies and, with this in view, is calling all the primary chapters and members to redouble the efforts made last Winter.

All contributions should be addressed to the field comforts department, Municipal Chapter, Temple Building, and all articles will be forwarded free of charge to the men at the front.

The following self-explanatory letter from a Victoria soldier mentions a number of articles in special demand at the front:

"Life goes on very slowly out here. Our yard is three-quarters lake already and Winter has not started yet. We will be out of luck when it does start, I can tell you.

"What I want for Winter are socks, a Balaclava helmet and a nice, long scarf (10 feet) to go nine or ten times around me, like the one . . . sent me last year. The socks you sent are fine. I always keep about four pairs, and there are two or three boys that I keep pretty well supplied as well. They, too, like your socks.

"Moreover, inform Dad that there was no lobster and no money in his last parcel (both are certainly treats out here) and this must not occur again. Don't forget my plum pudding at Christmas.

"Your parcels cannot be beaten. Rations have been low lately, so I help out."

LARGE SUN SPOT

Disturbance on Solar Envelope May Presage Auroral and Magnetic Phenomena on Earth

Covering an area having a diameter of seven to eight times that of the earth is the estimated extent of a very unusual disturbance at present appearing in the luminous envelope of the sun. The progress of the spot from the edge of the sun's disk has been studied for some days from the Gonzales Heights Observatory. Having reached the centre of the disk yesterday the maximum area of the disturbance was visible. It forms the major portion of the only sun-spot group to be seen from the earth at the present time.

Mr. F. Napier Denison, superintendent of the observatory, draws attention to the unusual size of this solar-spot. The largest spot on record appeared on February 3, 1905. It measured 109,000 by 62,000 miles, and covered 1-29 of the sun's disk. These sun spots rarely have proportions exceeding 40,000 miles in diameter. The appearance of pronounced sun-spot disturbances has been discovered to be closely followed by magnetic and auroral phenomena on the earth.

Following the development of the traces from the exceedingly delicate seismological instruments at the observatory yesterday, Mr. Denison was unable to make out any record of the recent earthquake disturbance reported from Italy. This makes it clear that the disturbance was of minor intensity.

CANADIAN GIRL GUIDES

1st Victoria Company, Capt. H. Leighton, drill on Friday next at North Ward School, at 7 p. m.

2nd Victoria Company, Capt. G. King, drill on Monday evening, at St. John's Church Schoolroom, at 6:30 p. m.

4th Victoria Company, Capt. Roberts, drill on Tuesday evening next at the old schoolroom on Foul Bay Road, at 7 p. m.

5th Victoria Company, Capt. H. Hunter, drill on Monday evening at the Shelbourne Baptist School, at 7 p. m.

Recruits wishing to join the movement may apply to any of the above captains at the centres named on drill nights.

Any information will be supplied concerning the movement on application to headquarters, 627 Fort Street, between the hours of 10 and 5 p.m.; Saturday till 1 p. m. Telephone 2476.

PTE. ANSCOMBE WOUNDED

Pte. B. Anscombe, 16th Battalion, has been wounded and is now at a Boulogne hospital, according to private advices received in the city yesterday by friends.

Pte. Anscombe was for several years a local resident and was a clerk in the wholesale department of the Hudson's Bay Company for some time. While in Victoria he lived at 435 Vancouver Street. He is a native of England and 26 years of age. Before coming to Canada he served with the 1st City of London Royal Field Artillery.

He enlisted for active service with the 50th Gordon Highlanders two months before the war broke out, leaving with the First Canadian Expeditionary Force. He went through the engagements at Neuve Chapelle, Hill 60 and Langemarck without injury, but was wounded in the head, thigh and left arm between September 2 and 6. As far as can be ascertained, he is making favorable progress towards recovery.

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE

There will be a complete change of programme at the Royal Victoria Theatre, tomorrow, and the pictures that have been selected will be well worth a visit. "The Smuggler's Ward" and "The Bond of Womanhood" are two two-reel features, which from a picture and acting standpoint are especially meritorious. The actions of both plays are quick and convincing. In addition to the above, there will also be shown a Selig Pictorial, with the latest news from all parts of the world; two good comedies, and a Patheplay, which will show a series of views of The Grand Canyon of New York.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DEATHS

ROBERTSON—On the 21st inst., at the family residence, 1611 Stanley Avenue, the death occurred of Mrs. Frank Robertson, in her 67th year.

Funeral service will be held on Monday, the 27th, in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, at 2 p.m.

DOERING—On the 24th inst., at the Jubilee Hospital, Mr. James Doering, a native of Danzig, aged 51 years. The late Mr. Doering has been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-seven years, having arrived in this city via Cape Horn, in the year 1888. He was well known in sealing circles, having followed that occupation for many years.

Funeral will take place on Tuesday, 28th inst., at 2 o'clock, from Sands' Funeral Co., Quadra Street, under the auspices of the Bartenders Local, No. 514.

FRY—On the 24th September, 1915, at Jubilee Hospital, Frank Herbert Fry, of 500 Hillside Ave., a native of Somersetshire, England. The deceased is survived by three sisters residing in England, and two brothers, Sergt. John Fry and Eli Fry of Victoria, and one brother in England, besides his mother and stepfather in England.

The funeral has been arranged to take place from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, 734 Broughton Street, on Monday, September 27th, at 2:30, where service will be held, interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Robert Dinsdale and family desire to thank the girls and boys of North Ward and the many other friends who expressed sympathy in their recent bereavement by their kind, sympathetic letters and beautiful flowers.

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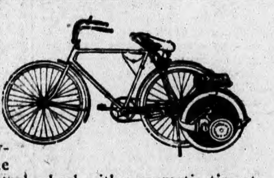

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This comedy of a thousand laughs will be the feature offering at the Columbia for the first half of the week.

For the latter half of the week the management have made special arrangements for the production of the famous Blue Ribbon feature, "The Chalice of Courage," an emotional drama by Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, author of "The Island of Regeneration."

In Women's Realm

BY MARIA LAWSON

MRS. LAWRENCE GOODACRE

Short Words

Think not that strength lies in the big round words,
Or that the brief and plain must needs be weak.
To whom can this be true who once has heard
The cry for help, the tongue that all men speak,
When want, or woe, or fear is in the throat,
So that each word gasped out is like a shriek
Pressed from the sore heart, or a strange wild note
Sung by some fay or fiend? There is a strength
Which dies if stretched too far or spun too fine,
Which has more height than breadth, more depth than length
Let but this force of thought and speech be mine,
And he that will may take the sleek fat phrase
Which glows and burns not, though it gleam and shine.
Light, but no heat—a flash, but not a blaze!

Nor is it mere strength that the short word boasts:
It serves of more than fight or storm to tell,
The roar of waves that dash on rock-bound coast
The crash of tall trees when the wild winds swell,
The roar of guns, the groans of men that die
On blood-stained fields. It has a voice as well
For them that far off on their sick beds lie;
For them that weep, for them that mourn the dead;
For them that laugh and dance and clap the hand;
To joy's quick step, as well as grief's slow tread,
The sweet plain words we learnt at first keep time,
And though the theme be sad, or gay, or grand,
With each, with all, these may be made to chime,
In thought, or speech, or song, in prose or rhyme.

—J. A. Alexander.

The Aged Women's Home

No more beneficent work has been done by women in Victoria, if anywhere in Canada, than the founding and carrying on of the Home for Aged and Infirm Women. It is due to the enterprise, perseverance and kindness of heart of a few ladies that no woman in this Province who is too old or too weak to earn a living for herself, and who has no one to provide for her, is left to suffer from want or neglect.

Seventeen years ago, Victoria had no place in which a homeless woman could find shelter. The plight of a poor old woman who, half perished and almost starving, came to ask help from the secretary of the Friendly Help Society, Mrs. Gould, roused all her sympathy, and made her resolve to prevent the possibility of such suffering in the future. The society could provide food and clothing, but those were useless when those to whom they were given were unable to prepare meals or to dress themselves. A little later, when a lame woman and her invalid daughter were in distress, a house was procured by a little committee consisting of Mrs. Gould, Mrs. Goodacre, and Mrs. Carne, who, though now 80 years of age, attends every meeting of the committee. With the help of Mr. Alexander Wilson, who has always proved a staunch friend, the Mayor, Mr. Redfern, was approached, and a small grant obtained. Another homeless, needy woman was placed in charge. It was about that time that the first formal meeting was held, in Mrs. Goodacre's home. At this, the three ladies consulted with Mr. Wilson and Mr. Redfern, and the society was formed. Mrs. Charles Hayward was the first president. It soon became necessary to find a larger house. There was on McClure Street an old French hospital. This belonged to the Jubilee Hospital board. Through Mr. Wilson's influence, the committee secured what was then a very suitable building. Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. McTavish, Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. T. Burns, and Mrs. Simon Leiser became members of the committee, and, but for the loss of their much loved president, Mrs. Hayward, the little band is still unbroken.

No one, not in touch with the work, can have any idea of its difficulties. The business arrangements and the internal management required not only loving hearts but clear heads, and firm wills. In the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Gould, the old ladies have had a devoted friend, always ready to render untiring service, and Mrs. William Grant, whose business ability is well known, gave valuable advice.

For several years, Mrs. W. L. Clay was president, and during that time the new building was erected, and within a few years the accommodation was doubled by the erection of a wing. To this building, the Provincial Government and the City contributed. A number of prominent citizens gave generous donations. The rooms were furnished chiefly by the ladies of the city, many of the rooms being fitted up and maintained as memorials of friends who have passed away.

The result is that few modern hotels have as comfortable accommodation as this Home. The rooms, of which every resident has one for herself, are well lighted, warmed and furnished. The spacious sunrooms and the sitting-rooms are open to all. Visitors are welcomed whenever their friends wish to see them. The dining-room is large and the table is well supplied with nourishing and well-prepared food. All who are unable to leave their rooms are waited upon there. The members of the staff, following the example of the committee, fill the place of kind daughters to those who are dependent upon them.

From the first, the work done in the Home has been appreciated by the public. In the past, every appeal by the committee has been generously responded to. No more pleasant social gatherings have been held in Victoria than the teas and sales of work that were undertaken for the benefit of the Home. From time to time legacies have been left in trust for the dependent women. Though none of these have been very large, they have helped to make the institution self-sustaining. The building is quite free of debt, and by good management, the funds have been safeguarded so that the committee are relieved of anxiety at a time when this is all too common.

From the beginning, the idea of charity, except in its true sense of love, has never been present in the home. Those who sought its shelter paid their own expenses when that was possible. If not the city, or in the case of country patients, the Government pay a very modest sum for maintenance. When, as sometimes happens, this cannot be done, the old lady is cared for in precisely the same way as they who have ample means of their own. A number of ladies have learned that scarcely anywhere can a lone woman get as much attention as in the Home, and have taken rooms there. Provision is made for nursing all who are ill, unless the doctor advises sending them to the hospital.

The great need of a resting place for convalescent women has appealed to the committee, and during the past year the doors have been opened to patients who, on leaving the hospital, were homeless or too weak to undertake home duties. Here, again, the rule has been followed of refusing aid to none, while charging those who are able to pay.

At present there are forty-five residents of what is to them a haven after the storm of life. It is inevitable that the circle will be broken from time to time. There must be weakness and suffering, but whatever can be done to bring peace and comfort and happiness to those who may not enjoy the care of daughter or sister is supplied by the kindness and the foresight of the committee and the good women they have employed. There is not a board of business men in the city who would not have reason to be proud of such management. But only women could have freely given the loving, constant supervision for which money could not pay.

A few months ago, Mrs. Leiser was succeeded as president by Mrs. Goodacre who, as has been seen, helped to found the home. To all Victorians, Mrs. Goodacre has long been known as one rich in good works. An active church worker, she was one of the charter members of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Few, if any members of the Friendly Help Society have been better friends of the poor, and she well deserved the honor which her fellow members conferred upon her when she was made president of the committee of the Aged Women's Home.

Solving the Dye Problem

As we look at the bright colors of the goods displayed in the shop windows we are reminded that the world for many years has been depending on German chemists and artificers for their dyes. As in the textile factories and dozens of other industrial concerns in the United States it is realized that no more German dyes will be available, there is something like consternation. Already, we are told, factories have shut down and thousands of men and women are out of work. Not only weavers, but manufacturers of paints, varnish, paper, ink, leather goods, soap, perfumes and medicinal preparations need the dyes that are no longer crossing the ocean.

There is a challenge here to the inventiveness and resourcefulness of the people of this continent. The editor of The New York Journal of Commerce reminds his countrymen that there is no reason why the manufacturers of the United States should not make anything of which coal tar is the raw material.

Two inventors, Dr. Charles H. Gage and Arthur L. Pearse, the first an American chemist and the other an English engineer, claim that they have discovered a process that will produce plenty of dye before Christmas.

Even if they are over sanguine, women who buy most colored materials might well be content for a time with home produced dyes or without aniline dyes altogether. It is not good for any country to have so great a monopoly of any industry as the Germans have had of dye stuffs. Nor is it good for other nations to allow such a monopoly. While the one grows over-confident in its ability, the others are far too apt to lose the self-reliance which is necessary for efficiency. The war is teaching many lessons. Among others that, much of what we are accustomed to call progress, is not essential to the well-being of men and women.

A Stamp Dispenser

Few things are used with as little thought as postage stamps, and yet the making and distribution of them has become a great business. In the United States with its hundred millions of people, the task of sending out the stamps from the national bureau of engraving and printing is a stupendous one. It requires the greatest accuracy and a knowldege of the location of every important centre in the whole country.

The supervision of this department is a woman, Miss Margaret Kerfoot. She has spent many years in the bureau and her expertness is the wonder of her fellow workers. Miss Kerfoot has to attend to the filling of orders and the withdrawal of stamps from the vaults. She has to see that each package is sent to the post office for which it is intended. When it is learned that the average number sent out in a day is 25,000,000, and that sometimes as many as 205,000,000 have been packed in a day, some idea of the amount of work involved may be formed. Yet for two years Miss Kerfoot has not made a single error. The secret of her success is told in the following lines:

"I love the work. I feel an actual affection for every postage stamp I draw from the vaults. Nothing in my private life ever comes between me and my work, and when I'm getting out one of these very large orders I think about it all the time."

The Y. W. C. A.

The Young Women's Christian Association has begun its Winter's work. Victoria is to be congratulated on possessing so fine a building to serve as a centre for its work. It has all the essentials of a comfortable home. There are fine large rooms nicely furnished and the housekeeping is admirable. It depends on the young women of Victoria to make this institution a real power for good in the community. Older people have done and are doing their share. They have supplied the home and are seeing that it is carefully managed. Many of the directors are giving personal service in many ways. Classes in physical culture have been organized and there are many recreations. Girls who live in the home or who are members have a carefully chosen library, and there is a good piano always open.

To bring together the various groups of girls of different interests to create around them an atmosphere of loving sympathy and hearty comradeship is a task that cannot be accomplished by one woman alone. There are in Victoria a number of young women, well educated and refined. Some of these have duties which make it impossible to spend much time away from their homes. This is not true of all. The Young Women's Christian Association has an appeal to such girls which is recognized and responded to in many cities throughout the continent. Wherever this is done the institution is a success. Leaders are needed with big hearts and the high spirits that every healthy girl should have. Many girls are lonely and sad. Not all of these are strangers. It is for those who are happy, who have been blessed with the good things of this life, to come to the aid, as good daughters should, of the mothers who have worked so hard to make a home for the Young Women's Christian Association.

Convalescent Auxiliary Hospitals

The arrangements made with Senator Lougheed's approval to turn the naval hospital at Esquimalt into a convalescent hospital gives an interest to an account of an institution recently established in England.

As is now known to most people, there are hundreds of hospitals in all parts of the United Kingdom, where soldiers recovering from their wounds are cared for after their discharge from the military hospitals. These are, as a rule, the resting places before the men return to active service.

But there are hundreds of men among the discharged soldiers who will never return to the front. They have suffered permanent injury. In some cases these go back home. The surgeon and the physician can do nothing more for them and recovery will be quicker amid familiar surroundings than in the best hospital.

This is not the case with those who have lost limbs. The country supplies artificial limbs, but it has been learned that for some slight defect or because the wearer does not know how to use them the limb is thrown to one side. A number of benevolent people have provided places where men can be properly fitted with artificial limbs and taught how to use them.

Near Putney Heath there are two fine mansions, the one owned by Mr. E. Kenneth Wilson, Roehampton House, and the other, Dover House, belonging to J. Pierpont Morgan. These have been fitted up, the one for soldiers and sailors, the other for officers. They are both surrounded by lovely gardens and grounds. A staff of nurses and doctors has been engaged and all that kindness can do to promote the complete recovery of the men is being done. Not only this, science and invention are perfecting the appliances needed to enable the soldiers to return to civil life equipped for its duties.

To Miss Gwynne Holford and Mr. C. H. Kinderdine is due the inauguration of a scheme in which a number of the most eminent men and women in Great Britain are engaged. Queen Mary has lent her name to the hospitals in which already more than a thousand men have been fitted with limbs as nearly as possible perfect substitutes for those they have lost.

No doubt similar hospitals will be established as they are needed. We are likely to learn, all too soon that war leaves behind it a long train of ills. The men who now go forward with the hope of bringing it to an end and the women who send them have far more courage than was needed in the first burst of loyal enthusiasm when most of the world had forgotten what war meant.

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Quieter Tones Prevail

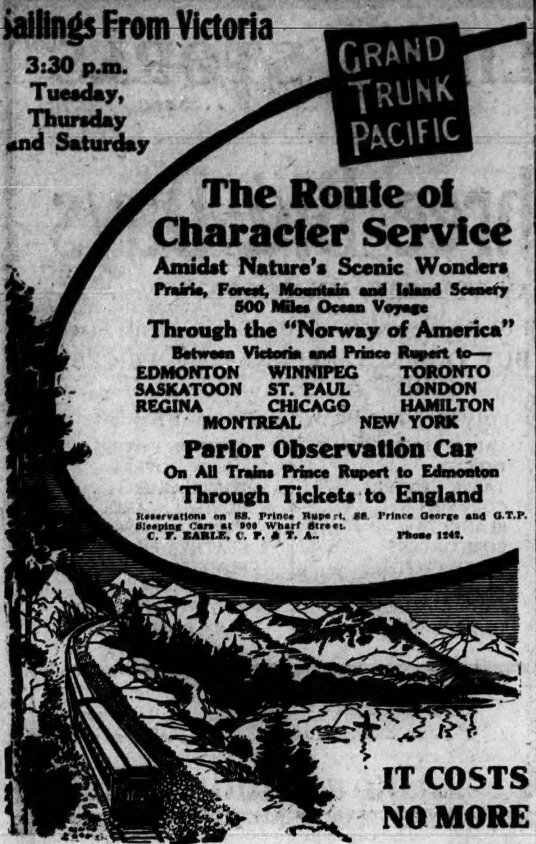
Greys and Serges Are in Great Favor During the War

"With 150,000 of the smartest young men in Canada under arms for the defence of the realm it would be idle to pretend that the tailoring trade is as good as ever," said a Semi-ready salesman.

Yet there is a noticeable improvement this season in the selling of Semi-ready garments, and the demand for the Fall and Winter style book has been commented upon.

Quieter colors prevail, greys are much worn in tweeds and worsteds; blue serge is well represented, while striped materials of a not too dark hue are fashionable. There is a tendency to cut the business or lounge coat a trifle shorter. Well-dressed men like the new Semi-ready designs. The quick tailoring of Special Orders to measure in four days at the shops is a distinct advantage.

All the new models in Semi-ready Tailoring are on view at Mearns & Fuller's.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American Line "New York"—New York to Liverpool .... Oct. 9
Donaldson Line "Cassandra"—Montreal to Glasgow .... Oct. 11
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Allan Line "Carthaginian"—Montreal to Glasgow .... Oct. 13
Anchor Line "California"—New York to Glasgow .... Oct. 16
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White Star Line "Lapland"—New York to Liverpool .... Oct. 20
Cunard Line "Orduna"—New York to Liverpool .... Oct. 23
American Line "Philadelphia"—New York to Liverpool .... Oct. 23
Allan Line "Corinthian"—Montreal to London .... Oct. 24
Allan Line "Pretorian"—Montreal to Glasgow .... Oct. 27
White Star Line "Baltic"—New York to Liverpool .... Oct. 27
Cunard Line "Tuscania"—New York to Glasgow via Liverpool, Oct. 29
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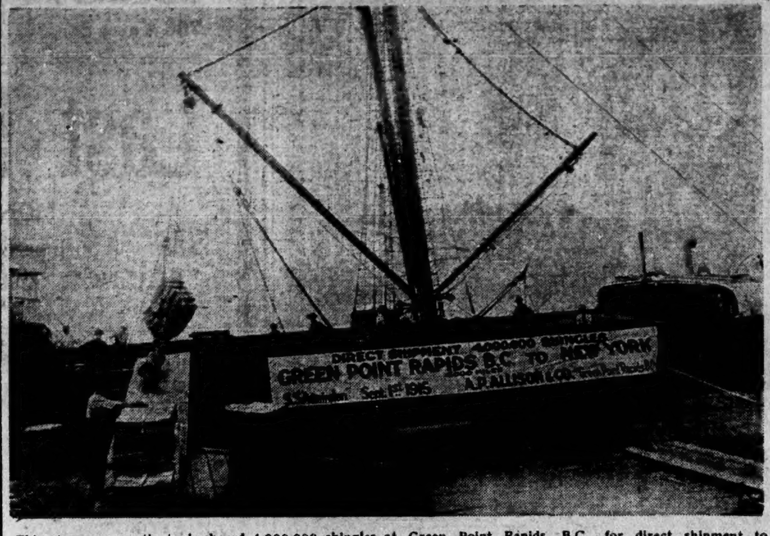
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This steamer recently took aboard 4,000,000 shingles at Green Point Rapids, B.C., for direct shipment to New York. Late telepraphic reports state the Admiralen arrived at Balboa on Friday last from Victoria, en route through the Panama Canal.

HARRISON LINE HAS LOST MANY STEAMERS

Destruction of the Chancellor Makes Sixth Sunk by German Submarines — Wayfarer Was Badly Crippled.

The submarine warfare being wagd by the Germans off the British coasts has probably resulted in the loss of more vessels owned by the Harrison Line, of Liverpool, than those of any other of the numerous big British shipping corporations operating fleets on the high seas.

The sinking of the steamer Chancellor by a German submarine the other day brings the total of vessels lost through this cause up to six, while another was seriously damaged by a torpedo, but kept afloat and subsequently made port. As far as records show no other British steamship company has lost so many merchant ships since the outbreak of war.

The first vessel to be lost by the Harrison Line was the steamship Diplomat, a new vessel of over 10,000 tons, which, by the way, was not a submarine victim. The Diplomat was overhauled by the raiding German cruiser Emden while steaming in the Indian Ocean, and she met the fate of a number of other British steamers which about that time had the misfortune to run foul of the enemy craft.

Former Victoria Traders

Since the inauguration of the submarine campaign last February there came in quick succession reports of the sinking of the Harrison steamers Candidate and Centurion, off the Irish coast, and of the Crown of Castile, a vessel operated under the direction of the Harrison Line. All three of these vessels had been regular traders in the Harrison Direct Line service between Glasgow, Liverpool and Victoria by way of the Panama Canal.

The Wayfarer, the largest ship in the Harrison Line fleet, was torpedoed by a submarine, but she kept afloat and later made port. Repairs were effected to the Wayfarer and she is now again in service.

The Dictator, another big vessel of this fleet, was sunk a short time ago, and now comes the word that the Chancellor has been sent under. Both these vessels were operated in the transatlantic trade.

DEEP SEA MOVEMENTS

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Sept. 23.—Arrived: Str. Europe Maru, No. 2, from San Francisco; Str. Makura, from Victoria, B. C.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Arrived: Str. Nevadan, from Seattle and San Francisco, via Charleston.

VLADIVOSTOK, Sept. 7.—Arrived: Str. Keisbin Maru, from Seattle, via Tacoma and Vancouver, B. C.

CALLAO, Sept. 21.—Arrived: Bque. Algoa Bay, from Bellingham, thence July 17.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 23.—Arrived: Str. Talthybius, from Seattle.

BALBOA, Sept. 24.—Arrived: Str. Admiralen, from Victoria, B. C., for New York; Str. Ohioan, from Seattle for New York.

CRISTOBAL, Sept. 24.—Arrived: Str. Arizonan, from New York for San Francisco; Str. Strathendrick, from Pensacola for Westport, Ore.

Talthybius at Yokohama

The Blue Funnel liner Talthybius, Captain Cullum, is reported to have arrived at Yokohama on Thursday last from Victoria.

WIRELESS REPORT
(By Government Wireless)

6 p.m.

Point Grey—Clear; N.W. strong; 29.77; 60; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 29.75; 55; sea smooth.

Pachena—Cloudy; N.W. light; 29.40; 55; sea smooth.

Estevan—Overcast; calm; 29.62; 54; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 29.61; 50; sea smooth.

Triangle—Overcast; S.W. light; 29.87; 56; light swell.

Deadtree Point—Cloudy; calm; 29.90; 60; sea smooth.

Ikeda Bay—Overcast; S.E. light; 29.49; 55; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert — Clear; S. E. light; 29.67; 54; sea moderate.

BIG COAST LINERS RESUME CALL HERE

Effective with the outward sailing from Seattle on October 8, the steamships President and Governor, will again include Victoria as a port of call in the service of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company between Puget Sound and southern California ports. Announcement to this effect was made yesterday by R. P. Rithet & Co., local agents for the line.

In order to accommodate the change in sailings, the steamer President, on her initial voyage from here this Fall, will, on October 8, sail from the Outer Docks at 11 p.m. Subsequently the sailings from Victoria will be weekly on Fridays at 5 p.m. The two boats will also touch here on the northern trip from California ports to Seattle.

The new schedule will again place Victoria in direct steamship communication with San Pedro and San Diego, the vessels proceeding to the southern California ports after touching at San Francisco.

MONTEAGLE RUNNING SEVEN DAYS LATE

Transpacific Liner Not Expected to Reach Victoria Before October 5—Titan to Arrive Tomorrow.

It is announced by the C. P. R. that the transpacific liner Monteagle was seven days behind schedule in leaving Yokohama for Victoria. As a result of this delay in the Orient the Monteagle is not expected to reach this port before October 5. She sailed from Yokohama on September 21 and her average transpacific voyage occupies fourteen days, the vessel not being considered a fast craft.

The reason for the delay is not given, but it is not improbable that she was detained at Hongkong having extra accommodation fitted, it having been previously reported that the company planned to increase the liner's cabin accommodation to handle the heavy passenger traffic on the Pacific. When she departed from Victoria on her last voyage the Monteagle had cabin accommodation for less than 100 passengers, but upon her arrival here it is expected that she will have increased space to handle at least 160 cabin travelers. The liner has already been overbooked for the return voyage to the Far East.

Owing to her late arrival she is not expected to get away for Yokohama and Hongkong before October 11 next.

Titan Due on Monday

The Blue Funnel liner Titan, which sailed from Yokohama on September 14, reports by wireless that she expects to make Victoria on Monday. No set time is given, but it is anticipated by the local agents that the vessel will succeed in reaching William Head in time to secure pratique before sundown.

The O. S. K. liner Chicago Maru, which is running a day late, is due to reach port from Hongkong and Yokohama on Saturday next. The Harrison liners Musician and Crown of Granada are due during the coming week, but nothing definite as to their movements has yet been chronicled.

On Wednesday next the Canadian-Australasian liner Niagara, with a full cargo of British Columbia exports and a good list of passengers will sail for Sydney, via Honolulu, Suva and Auckland.

The Japanese mail liner Shidzuoka Maru, of the N. Y. K. fleet, is posted to depart on Friday next for Yokohama and Hongkong.

PRODUCE GOES NORTH

Princess Alice Carries Large Shipments of Eggs and Butter on Skagway Trip

When the steamship Princess Alice, of the C. P. R. coasting fleet, got away from Vancouver last night for Skagway, via Prince Rupert, she carried a large quantity of produce, including 250 tons of eggs and butter for Skagway, and 50 tons of eggs and butter for Prince Rupert.

After this trip there will be two more before the close of the season.

ECONOMIC LOCATION HAS ADVANTAGES

SS. Admiralen Carries Shingles Direct From Green Point Rapids to New York—Object Lesson From B. C.

To the unimaginative person, there is nothing in the photograph which is reproduced above but an ordinary work-a-day operation—a vessel loading cargo at a wharf, such as may be seen a hundred times in as many places all over the world, but when one considers that this vessel is being loaded practically in the woods of British Columbia, and is taking a cargo of manufactured shingles from thence without transshipment direct to the greatest retail market for lumber in the world, the picture assumes a more interesting aspect.

In the first place, this is, perhaps, the first (certainly one of the first) experiments which realizes in practice the unique opportunities of British Columbia in the shape of deep water harbors close to the raw material of a great industry.

Deep Natural Harbors

The proximity of deep natural harbors, the ability to manufacture raw material into the finished products on the spot, and the ability to transport these products without transshipment to the greatest markets in the world are the elements which, readily appreciated and organized, spell the future commercial prosperity of British Columbia.

Transportation as a factor in the cost of production is of great importance. It is one of the flexible elements. Most of the elements of cost of production are fixed by the laws of necessity or custom, and it is beyond the power of the best management to change them much, but transportation costs may be considerably reduced by foresight, careful study and manipulation; hence is seen the new office of traffic manager in the organization of great modern businesses.

Of Primary Importance

In this connection an economic location is of primary importance—the situations of the raw material, the manufacturing plant, and the markets for the finished goods need to be considered. If the manufacturing plant can be suitably located near the raw material and at a point from which cheap transportation is available to the market for the finished products, there is a location which, from the point of view of economy cannot be improved. The knowledge that transportation is a flexible element in cost is responsible for agitations on the part of commercial associations in various parts of the world for improved inland navigation, and this movement has inaugurated an interesting controversy, namely, which is the cheaper—rail or water transport? This controversy is engaging the attention of some of the most acute minds of the day.

The problem at present seems to be left like this: Given a great natural waterway like the River Rhine, which does not wind in its course, and where long hauls are possible, and where the whole distance between point of origin and point of market can be performed by water, then there is something to be said for inland water transportation on the score of economy, but directly you begin to haul along a river which has a winding course, or where transshipment from water to rail or road becomes necessary, water transportation begins to lose its advantage. Besides, even under the most ideal of conditions, there is always the drought of Summer and floods and frosts of Winter to render inland water transportation uncertain, and railroad men claim—seeing you may put your goods on a railroad car at the point of origin and run them, in most cases, to the point of market — that rail transport is superior to every kind of inland navigation no matter how good the conditions may be. Be that as it may, even the most enthusiastic of railway men readily admit that transportation from point to point by sea-going vessels is far and away the cheapest of all the means of transportation known, hence the growing tendency of large railway corporations to become ocean carriers.

Best Conditions

The conclusion is reached then, that deep water harbors, which enable full cargoes of finished goods to be shipped direct and all the way by sea to great markets represent the very best of transportation conditions as regards cost, and that such conditions when combined with proximity to abundant supplies of raw material and manufacturing plants, constitute the ideal economic location, enabling production costs to be brought down to an irreducible minimum.

Here then is the great significance of the Green Point Rapids picture. Instead of logs or shingle bolts being scowed to some distant mill to be manufactured and then rehandled and shipped 3,000 miles over a railroad which has cost an average of $50,000 per mile to construct, there is a straight transport by nature's great highway from the woods to the warehouse in New York and other United States ports; to Eastern Canada; to Australia; to India; to China; to the United Kingdom and other great European countries.

Cost of handling, switching, and transfer are heavy items in the cost of railway transportation over long distances (not the long haul) and British Columbia is to a very large extent in a position to eliminate this cost. This is the great advantage of British Columbia harbors, and this advantage has, of course, been greatly enhanced by the opening of the Panama Canal. The wholesale destruction wrought by the great European war has brought the opportunity for business and what is now lacking is the necessary shipping. The declaration of peace should, therefore, inaugurate for British Columbia a period of great prosperity.

Advantages of British Columbia

To sum up, British Columbia has the natural advantage of many and convenient deep water harbors, close to the almost inexhaustible supplies of fine timber, metals and coal, and looks across the ocean highway to the markets of the world.

How to combine and organize these elements so as inevitably to produce wealth and prosperity; that is the problem before the leaders of industry in the Province of British Columbia and one which should not be difficult of solution.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont Building will be raised half-mast high at 12:45 p.m., to the top at 12:55 p.m. and will be dropped at 1 p.m. daily.

F. NAPIER DENISON,
Superintendent.
The Observatory,
Gonzales Heights.

COLONIST SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN VESSELS

Steamers to Arrive

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Calchas, from Liverpool .... Oct. 4
Waimarino, from Sydney .... Oct. 5
Aki Maru, from Hongkong .... Oct. 6
Canada Maru, from Hongkong .... Oct. 16
Ixion, from Hongkong .... Oct. 19
Arna, from Adelaide .... Oct. 20
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Spectator, from Liverpool .... Nov. 12
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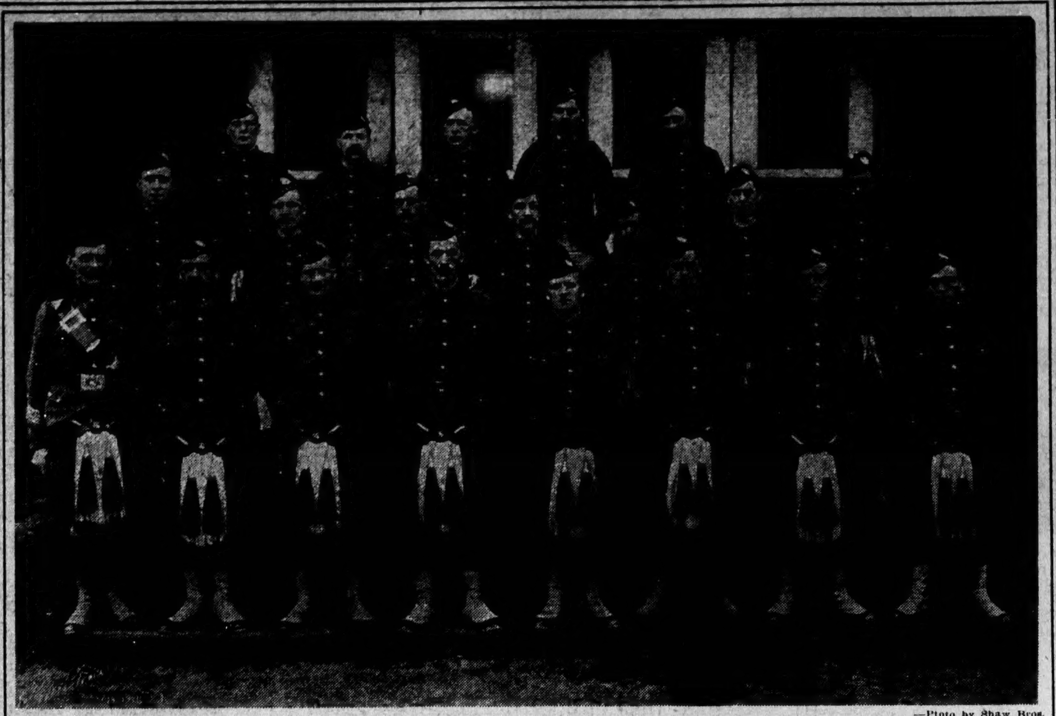
N.C.O.'s of 50th Highlanders in Camp at Willows



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50TH HIGHLANDERS HAVE PROUD RECORD

Local Regiment Has Given 1,100 of Its Members for Overseas Service — History of Unit.

The 50th Highlanders of Canada was organized on November 21, 1913, and began recruiting in February of 1914. It had for its O. C. one of the ablest military men in Canada, viz., Lieut.-Col. Currie. Under Lieut.-Col. Currie's command the recruiting went on at a record pace. The physique of the men and the general efficiency of the regiment as a whole was beyond a doubt among the best in Canada.

The regiment in those days used to drill its men on the wharf of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, but in 1914, when the headquarters was taken up at the corner of Fort and Linden Streets, the parade was held every Thursday evening on the grounds of the High School, when large crowds would gather to watch the men in their white drill order carrying out battalion drill with smartness and dash.

In July, 1914, the Highlanders marched to Macaulay Plains for their annual training, where manoeuvres and sham battles gave them insight into the art of warfare. Little was it thought by any who saw those brawny men marching to Macaulay Plains a month or so would see those same soldiers marching away to answer the call of the Mother Country to her sons.

Upon the outbreak of the war with Germany the 50th Regiment offered its services and received orders to hold itself in readiness to mobilize any day. Upon the parade ground the following Thursday volunteers were called for and the regiment volunteered to a man. The eagerness of all to go to the help of Britain was manifested by the feverish inquiries which were made by them to their headquarters daily to know if mobilization was in sight. The mechanics amongst them could not apply themselves to their work, the clerical men lost all interest in their books, waiting for the signal to mobilize.

Orders to Mobilize.

On August 10, 1914, orders were received to mobilize. The signal, one long and two short blasts on the brewery whistles, came as a relief to strained nerves. Men dropped their tools, or left their offices and hurried to don their Active Service uniforms, which they were destined to wear for so many months and through many perils and glorious deeds.

By 11 o'clock on that Monday morning everything was in order and the regiment was ready to march to its camp at the Exhibition Grounds, Willows. It was the first unit to take up quarters at the Willows Camp. Among the officers who marched their men to camp were the following:

Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, in command. Major Lorne Ross, Major G. B. Hughes, Major P. J. Riddell (quartermaster), Capains J. H. McGregor, C. M. Roberts, C. A. Forsythe, R. Asser, S. J. Redpath, J. H. Gillespie, and Villiers, Lieuts. Townsend (adjutant), T. Muirhead, D. Bullen, G. Ager, P. R. M. Wallis, R. G. Monteith, B. Irving, F. Richardosn, T. G. Thomas, J. H. S. McClure, G. C. Holland, R. H. B. Ker, A. J. Gray and Wise. The total number of officers and men was over 500 fully equipped.

Soon after arrival at Willows Camp preparations were made to send as many men as possible to the firing line, and on August 28, 1914, over 250 officers and men of the 5th left Victoria for Valcartier en route for the front. Such a send-off as was given the troops that day was never known before and has never been seen in the streets of Victoria.

Since then Victoria has sent several contingents to the front and in every one the 50th has been represented. Among the contributions are these approximate numbers:

25 officers and men with Princess Patricias, L. I.

325 officers and men with 30th Battalion.

225 officers and men with 48th Battalion.

125 officers and men with 62nd Battalion.

400 in Western Scots.

Already nearly 400 officers and men have been transferred to the 67th Battalion, C. E. F., Western Scots, the majority of whom were in training with the 50th Regiment some weeks before the Western Scots took up their quarters at the Willows Camp. The staff is very largely made up of 5th Regiment men. The record of the officers is as follows:

Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie (now major-general), 16th Battalion, C. E. F. (created C. B.).

Major G. B. Hughes (now lieut.-col.), 16th Battalion (awarded D. S. O.)

Capt. J. H. McGregor, 16th Battalion; killed in action.

Capt. Villiers, 16th Battalion.

Capt. G. Ager, 16th Battalion; wounded.

Capt. P. R. Wallis, 16th Battalion.

Capt. A. J. Gray, 16th Battalion; wounded.

Lieut. J. S. McClure, 16th Battalion.

Lieut. Rochfort, 16th Battalion; wounded.

Lieut. W. M. Fatt, 16th Battalion.

Major D. Donald (medical), 16th Battalion.

Lieut. G. Halley, 11th C. M. R.

Lieut. A. B. Irving, 16th Battalion (now R. C. Dragoon).

Lieut. J. Wise, Gordon H. Imperial Army.

Lieut. G. Holland, Gordon H. Imperial Army.

Lieut. J. S. Harvey, Princess Pats, L. I.

Lieut. T. M. Foote (now capt.), Loyal N. Lancashire Regiment.

Capt. C. M. Roberts (now major), 30th Battalion.

Capt. R. Asser, 30th Battalion.

Capt. Townsend (adjutant), 30th Battalion.

Lieut. Muirhead, 30th Battalion.

Lieut. C. Tennant, 30th Battalion.

Lieut. Thomas, 30th Battalion.

Lieut. J. F. Campbell, 48th Battalion.

Lieut. W. Pemberton, 48th Battalion.

Lieut. E. E. N. McCallum, 48th Battalion.

Lieut. Armstrong, 48th Battalion.

Lieut. Powell, 48th Battalion.

Lieut. Ker, 48th Battalion.

Lieut. Hudson, 48th Battalion.

Capt. Redpath, 47th Battalion.

Lieut. Monteith (now Capt.), 47th Battalion.

Lieut. Richardson (now Capt.), 57th Battalion.

Lieut. Rochfort, 47th Battalion.

Lieut. Lane, 62nd Battalion.

Major Lorne Ross (now Lieut.-Col.), 16th Battalion; now O. C. 67th Battalion.

Capt. Bullen, 67th Battalion.

Capt. Halliwell, 67th Battalion.

Lieut. Eardley Wilmot, 67th Battalion.

Lieut. Carey, 67th Battalion.

Lieut. Andrews, 67th Battalion.

Lieut. Meredith, 67th Battalion.

Lieut. Sturgess, 67th Battalion

Lieut. McDiarmaid, 67th Battalion.

Matter for History.

Ever since war was declared the 50th Regiment has furnished men for the principal guards on the Island. This and the constant transfer of men to the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, has kept the number of men at the Willows Camp comparatively small, and it will not be until Canada's part in this great war is fully written that the large share taken by the 50th Regiment will be generally known.

Major C. A. Forsythe, the O. C., and his officers have trained their men with great ability and it is this training which has been the making of more than one Overseas Battalion trained in Victoria.

At the present time the 50th Regiment has some 200 men distributed over more than twelve important guards on Vancouver Island and every man in the regiment is ready and willing to go wherever he is needed to defend the Empire.

In conclusion, it may be said that during the past few months there has been a lack of equipment for all home regiments owing to outfitting the large numbers of men for Overseas, but it is expected that in a few days every man will be completely outfitted and uniforms and full equipment will be ready for all new recruits joining the 50th.

WEIR STEAMER COMING

The British steamer Inveric, one of the Weir Line vessels, is reported to have been placed on berth to load at Hongkong and Shanghai for the North Pacific Coast, leaving a Japanese port about the middle of November.

The Inveric sailed from New York on August 25 for Far Eastern ports via the Suez Canal. She is a vessel of 3,113 net tons.

STEAMER CONGRESS IS REPORTED SOLD

Advices Say Pacific Coast Craft May Shortly Be Transferred to Atlantic Coast Trade.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 25.—There has been a more or less persistent rumor going the rounds during the last few days that the Pacific Coast Steamship Company has sold its big steamer Congress, and that the vessel would be taken to the Atlantic coast. While the local offices of the company claim to know nothing about any such transaction, the present abnormal demand for tonnage on the Atlantic seaboard would seem to lend a good deal of color to the rumor, particularly as the Congress is a very large vessel and undoubtedly suitable to almost any trade in which she could be put.

She is a vessel of nearly 5,000 tons net register, with fine passenger accommodations for about 525 people, in addition to a large freight carrying capacity. The Congress bears the distinction of being the largest vessel in the United States constructed especially for the coast trade. She was built by the New York Shipbuilding Company, Camden, New Jersey, and arrived on this Coast on her maiden voyage from the Atlantic, via the Straits of Magellan, on October 6, 1913. Her principal dimensions are: Length over all, 442.6 feet; between perpendiculars, 425 feet; beam, 55 feet; depth to shelter deck, 38.6 feet; depth to boat deck, 54.10 feet; tonnage about 8,000 gross.

She was constructed of steel to the highest classification requirements of the American Bureau of Shipping to rate A1 for twenty years. A double bottom and four complete steel decks run from stem to stern, and the hull divided into eleven water-tight compartments by ten complete steel bulkheads.

As a further safeguard in case of injury to the shell, a longitudinal water-tight bulkhead, acting as an inner skin, is installed on each side throughout the full length of the boiler spaces. She is equipped with eight cargo winches and two boat winches, the cargo winches being fitted with machine-cut helical gears, and run almost without any noise. Her propelling machinery consists of two sets of triple-expansion surface condensing engines, each having cylinders 28½ in., 46½ in., and 78 in., by 54 in. stroke, developing 7,500 indicated horsepower, at about 86 revolutions and giving a speed of 16 knots.

CAPTAIN BARLOW TO TAKE OUT WAIHEMO

Replaces Captain Vint Who Will Remain on Coast Pending Arrival of Former German Steamer Waikawa

Captain Barlow, who was formerly chief officer of the liner Marama under Captain Morrisby, came in as a passenger on the liner Niagara to take over the command of the steamer Waihemo from Captain Vint. The latter is to stay on this side of the Pacific to await the arrival of the steamer Waikawa, which he will command.

The Waikawa was formerly a German steamer, having been captured by a British cruiser and condemned in the prize court. She was recently purchased by the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand from English owners, who purchased her at the prize court sale and named her the Maritime. At the present time the Waikawa is held up at Colon by the big slide in the Panama Canal.

MADE AN OFFER FOR DELHI WRECK

Capt. Babington Was Willing to Pay $1,500 for Battered Remnants of Steamer

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., Sept. 25—. The steamer Delhi, as she lies in the drydock at Hays Creek, presents a woeful picture. Her bottom is torn all to pieces. To repair her would be useless, and no attempt will be made along that line. It is now a question of how much can be salved from her.

Capt. Babington, of this city, offered $1,500 for the boat as she leaves the dock. He would if he got her, beach her, and salve all that was of value aboard, as far as machinery is concerned. No decision has been reached in connection with her as yet. She will be taken off the ways and beached out of the way of navigation.

Notice to Mariners

Marineis are hereby notified that the lightkeeper at Sisters Light Station, in the Strait of Georgia, reports that the light there is not to be relied upon to give its regular flashes owing to a slight breakdown in the apparatus. Every endeavor will be made to have this rectified as soon as possible.

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RED CROSS SOCCER IS GRAND SUCCESS

Civilians Establish Lead in First Half, Which Is Gradually Reduced—Final Score Four All.

The grand Red Cross football match played at the Royal Athletic Park yesterday between the Navy and Army and the Civilians was a great success from every point of view. The play was somewhat ragged at times. That was only to be expected at the start of the season. At times it was exciting enough, and never slow.

The Civilians established a substantial lead in the first half. Nichol was the first to score with a good shot and Youson and Muir each added a somewhat lucky one before the game had gone more than half an hour, the Civilians thus having three goals registered before the men of the services had notched a point

Play was fast and the ball traveled up and down the field at frequent intervals, never staying very long at one end. Half-time arrived with the score at 3-0 in favor of the Civilians.

The lead obtained in the first half made the Civilians somewhat careless, perhaps, but the Navy and Army team deserves great credit for the way in which its players pulled up and stuck to what looked at one time like a lost match. They were in better condition than their opponents and they settled down to play good football and continually pressed into the ground of the Civilians. Philmore put in a good shot for the Navy and Army which went just over the bar, and, almost immediately afterwards, Robertson, the Civilian goalkeeper, catching a short shot from a forward, carried the ball into his own goal, thus bringing the score to 3-1.

Enthusiasm Increases

Philmore scored a second goal for the Services shortly after with a good shot amid great enthusiasm, and the interest in the game increased considerably when it was seen that the Navy and Army were more than holding their own and had at least a good chance to draw, if not to win. The Civilians renewed their efforts, but were unable to break through the defence, Ord and Okell being particularly good against them.

Attacking in their turn the Navy and Army brought the score to 4-3 when Baker scored from a rebound from the post from a shot from Nichol. Encouraged by their success the Service men kept up the attack and shortly before the final whistle blew evened up the score with a rush from a good corner kick, the game ending with honors easy and the score four all.

Ord was the best man on the field for the day and Nicholl, Whyte, Adams and Green all played fine football, while in the first half Robertson in goal did some good work.

Mr. J. G. Brown refereed. The teams lined up as follows:

Navy and Army—Hewitt (5th Regiment); Curren (88th Regiment) and Ord (67th Regiment); Green (5th), Lamdon (Navy) and Okell (67th), captain; Lifton (Navy), Davies (5th), Phillmore (A. S. C.), Pearson (88th) and Dakers (67th).

Civilians—Robertson; Whyte and Tunnicliffe; Taylor, Adams and Allen; Sherratt, Nichols, Youson, Muir and Baker.

There was a very good attendance at the match, including a large number of men in khaki. The takings at the gate alone amounted to $55, all of which, in addition to the sum realized from the sale of tickets will be handed to the Red Cross Society. The 88th Fusiliers Band enlivened the proceedings with musical selections, and beautiful warm weather made the match a most enjoyable one to watch.

CRICKET MATCH WON BY TENNIS PLAYERS

Willows Club Beats the Albions in Game Yesterday—Bernie Schwengers Was in Good Form

The Victoria Tennis Club played a cricket match against a team of the Albion Club captained by Mr. Smith on the Beacon Hill ground yesterday, and proved the victors by 187 to 104.

Bernie Schwengers and Garrett, the top rankers of the tennis club, showed that they were also the best cricket bats of the club, Schwengers getting fifty-one runs before he retired, and Garrett making forty-four. Bernie Schwengers also brought off the bowling honors for his side, taking four wickets.

The full score follows:

Albion

H. A. Ismay c C. Schwengers b P. Schwengers	24
L. W. Stephenson c C. Schwengers b Greenhill	0
F. Boiston b Marshall	24
H. C. Smith b B. P. Schwengers	16
F. Jordan c Lewin b C. Schwengers	3
R. Lagerwall b B. P. Schwengers	14
W. C. Scott b C. Schwengers	2
W. Clarke b Greenhill	9
J. C. Lowe not out	1
A. N. Other b B. P. Schwengers	2
Extras	9
Total	104

Victoria Tennis Club

F. J. Marshall b Jordan	0
F. Lewin b Ismay	7
G. H. Walton b Ismay	26
P. B. Schwengers retired	51
J. S. McLachlan b Smith	5
C. Schwengers c Lowe b Jordan	10
J. A. Greenhill b Stephenson	7
H. G. Garrett lbw b Smith	44
V. Martin b Stephenson	0
C. B. Phelan c Lowe	4
T. Leeming not out	3
Extras	29
Total	186

WILL TAKE CENSUS

Population of West Will Be Counted Next Summer—Will Include Men at Front

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—A census of population and agriculture will be taken in the northwestern provinces next June. The census is a quinquennial one provided by statute, and is made necessary from the fact that provincial subsidies are paid on a per capita basis, a revision of the population figures thus becoming necessary every five years.

About 2,000 enumerators will be utilized for the census which will include agriculture and the estimated cost will be $50,000. It is understood that men absent at the front will be included in the census totals.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The following are the results of the scheduled English league football games, played on the grounds of the first named clubs today:

Midland Section

Barnsley, 1; Derby County, 1.
Bradford City, 7; Huddersfield Town, 1.
Hull City, 2; Bradford, 0.
Leeds City, 2; Lincoln, 1.
Leicester Fosse-Notts County, game postponed.
Sheffield United, 6; Grimsby Town, 2.

Lancashire Section

Blackpool, 2; Bolton Wanderers, 1.
Manchester United, 3; Manchester City, 1.
Rochdale, 0; Oldham, 0.
Stockport County, 3; Preston North End, 0.
Southport, 2; Everton, 1.
Stoke, 3; Bury, 1.
Liverpool, 5; Burnley, 2.

London Combination

Queen's Park, 1; Brentford, 2.
Crystal Palace, 2; West Ham United, 0.
Tottenham Hotspur, 1; Chelsea, 3.
Fulham, 4; Arsenal, 3.
Clapton Orient, 0; Croydon Common, 0.
Watford, 0; Millwall, 3.

Scottish League

GLASGOW, Sept. 25.—The following are the results of the Scottish League football games:

Morton, 3; Clyde, 0.
Motherwell, 3; St. Mirren, 1.
Dundee, 7; Queen's Park Rangers, 1.
Falkirk, 2; Hamilton Academicals, 1.

Glasgow Cup

Rangers, 7; Partick Thistle, 2.
Celtic, 2; Third Lanark, 0.

GARRISON WINS FROM REST OF LEAGUE

Very Interesting Game at Jubilee Hospital Grounds Formed Fitting Wind-up to Season's Cricket.

The final important cricket fixture of the season, played yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital ground between the Garrison and the Rest, proved a very interesting game.

The match started shortly after 11 o'clock, the Garrison being the first to bat. The Rest appeared to have got the Garrison in the first innings in a tight place when seven wickets were down for 74 runs, but on Gnr. Kelly and Lieut. Leighton getting together, they completely changed the aspect of affairs, adding 78 runs for the eighth wicket, and securing 50 and 41, respectively, in fine style. Goward bowled steadily and well all through the innings, bagging five wickets for only 43 runs, Westwood and Orr getting three and two, respectively. The whole side was out before the luncheon interval for 177.

The Rest made a bad start, and was unable to recover. Hudson played well for his 16. Freeman and Orr managed to get into double figures, and Goward at the end hit up 23 in his usual forceful style, but no one managed to collar the bowling, and the whole side was out lacking one of the century. In the follow-on, the side did much better. Ward played a really great innings for 67, and 143 were scored for five wickets when the innings was declared closed, and the Garrison went in for another attempt, in which the Esquimalt players had scored 54 when stumps were drawn and four wickets were down.

The game was very enjoyable, and made a very pleasant and successful wind-up to the season, while, in spite of counter attractions, the Red Cross Fund will benefit from the event to an appreciable extent. The full score follows:

Garrison—First Innings

Gnr. Needham, b Goward	9
Pte. Montgomery c Ward b Orr	12
Mr. Paten c Tucker b Westwood	18
S. M. Roberson b Goward	0
C. Q. M. S. Askey b Orr	9
Mr. Pooley b Goward	1
Lieut. Leighton c Freeman b Westwood	41
Capt. Martin b Goward	11
Cpl. Kelly c Orr b Westwood	50
Lieut. Clarke b Goward	4
Sgt. Stevens not out	10
Extras	12
Total	177

Garrison—Second Innings

Gnr. Needham c Bush b Westwood	5
Mr. Paten b Goward	3
S. M. Roberson not out	12
Capt. Martin b Westwood	10
Cpl. Kelly not out	3
Sgt. Stevens b Westwood	10
Extras	9
Total (for 4 wickets)	53

The Rest—First Innings

E. P. Ward c Paten b Askey	2
G. Bush b Leighton	6
H. Hudson c Pooley b Askey	16
V. Westwood c Pooley b Leighton	7
H. R. Orr b Leighton	17
H. S. Radcliffe b Leighton	0
W. Speak c Kelly b Leighton	1
E. D. Freeman b Leighton	18
W. Ticker b Askey	0
H. A. Goward b Leighton	23
W. Erickson not out	0
Extras	8
Total	99

The Rest—Second Innings

E. P. Ward c sub b Kelly	67
H. Hudson st Needham b Pooley	21
V. Westwood not out	0
H. R. Orr c Leighton b Askey	2
W. Speak b Leighton	19
E. D. Freeman b Leighton	13
H. A. Goward not out	4
Extras	17
Total (for 5 wickets)	143

Bowling Analysis

Garrison—1st Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Westwood	11	3	48
Goward	21	5	44
Orr	9	2	32
Radcliffe	5	0	22
Erickson	2	0	14
2nd Innings—			
Westwood	[illegible]	3	21
Goward	9	1	23
Rest—1st Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Leighton	15.5	7	40
Askey	25	3	51
2nd Innings—			
Leighton	12	2	44
Askey	4	1	28
Kelly	12	2	44
Pooley	8	1	25

JOHNSON IS YOUNGEST TENNIS CHAMPION

Started Game at Age of Ten and Has Been Playing in Tournaments for Last Ten Years.

William M. Johnston, of San Francisco, is the youngest tennis champion America has so far produced, being only 20 years of age. He has, however, played the game since he was 10 years old, and he has played always in fast company.

Johnston has been a member of the famous Golden Gate Junior Tennis Club since 1905, shortly after it was organised, and for years he regularly took part in its ceaseless round of tournaments, competing against McLoughlin, Robert and John Strachan, and many other celebrities. In spite of his youth, it is probable that he has had quite as much tournament experience as any American player of the present day. He has won all the tennis honors open to him in the different organizations to which he has belonged, and his advancement has been steady throughout his career.

Won in All Classes

Johnston won in succession all the different classes in the Golden Gate Junior Club, and finally became its champion after McLoughlin and Robert Strachan had forced themselves out of the junior ranks by winning open tournaments. Then he won the junior championship of the Coast in 1909, and in 1911 he proved his right to travel in the championship class by winning a well-played set from McLoughlin in the Coast championship tourney.

In 1912 he graduated from the junior ranks by winning the open singles in the Ojai Valley tourney, and since that time he has won all the tennis titles of this Coast, including the State, Ojai Valley, Southern California, Coronado, Long Beach, Central California, and San Francisco City. He has beaten in California all the other good men except McLoughlin, and he has had only three defeats registered against him during the last three years by McLoughlin, Strachan and Griffin.

Johnston made his first bid for national honors in 1913, when he went East and played through the leading tournaments. He proved the sensation of the year and made a greater impression than even McLoughlin on his first appearance. The youngster, then only 18 years old, played first in the Longwood championship at Boston and captured the title from a field of seasoned performers, which included Clothier, Touchard, Niles, Le Roy, Mathey and G. P. Gardner.

At that time McLoughlin, Williams, Hackett and Wallace Johnson were in England on their successful Davis Cup quest, and Eastern tennis honors were supposed to be in no danger. The victory of Johnston therefore caused a perfect furor, and he secured a greater amount of attention for the remainder of the season than any other American player.

Has Perfect Style

Johnston's style and methods of play were made the chief subject of tennis criticism, and it was generally agreed that he possessed better tennis form than any other American player. In August, 1913, P. A. Valle, the Australian tennis writer, in a letter to American Lawn Tennis, concluded his estimate of Johnston with the following paragraph:

"I consider Johnston a sounder player than either McLoughlin or Williams. They will have to look to it in quick order if they desire to retain their positions, for the newcomer has everything that goes to make a really great player."

After winning the Longwood championship in 1913, Johnston captured the New York State Championship, after which he lost to Clothier at Southampton and to Williams at Newport. As a result of that season's work he was ranked as the fourth best player of the United States.

Unlucky Last Year

In 1914 he again played the Eastern tennis circuit, and played well, but with less success. He beat W. A. Larned, Karl Behr, Lindley Murray and Bull, but he lost to Williams twice and to Le Roy, McLoughlin and Washburn, and on the season's play he was ranked No. 6.

Johnston's early season record this year in the East was disappointing, as he lost to Williams, Niles and Pell, although at the exposition tourney in San Francisco he had forced McLoughlin to play a hard, uphill five-set match. His successive wins, however, in the national tourney over Williams and McLoughlin make him the new American champion, and may secure him the first position in the ranking list.

GERMAN TREATMENT OF THE CHURCHES

Vicar General of Paris Archdiocese Presents Severe Indictment—Cathedrals Destroyed

Mgr. Alfred Baudrillart, Vicar-General of the Archdiocese of Paris, in a recent pamphlet headed "Germany and the Catholic Church," says:

"Austria Catholic; Germany respectful to the Sovereign Pontiff, profoundly religious, favorable to the numerous Catholics among her subjects and ready to defend everywhere the interests of the Papacy.

"Such is the thesis, such the claims, such the choloroform, with which it is hoped to put to sleep candid and open consciences. Churches are desecrated, burnt, razed to the ground with sectarian fury; priests are massacred or ill-treated, sacriliges repeated at pleasure. These are the facts, the fruits of the tree, the sad realities. If one desires further proof of them, let him read the account of the atrocities drawn from authentic evidence by Mr. Auguste Melot, Deputy of Namur, in 'Le Martyre du Clerge Belge,' and by Raoul Narsy in 'Le Supplice de Louvain.'

"And for France, in which but for the victory of the Marne the same scenes of horror would have been enacted, one has only to remember the Satanic destruction of Rheims, of Soissons, of Arras and of Notre Dame de Brebieres.

"As regards the wilful and predicted ruin of the Cathedral of Rheims, soul and cradle of Christian France, so furiously desired by the mystic Gorres, we have, while waiting for the definite book of the [illegible] Landrieux, Archpriest of [illegible], the opuscule of Vindex, [illegible] excellent [illegible] Devastee,' the thrilling series of [illegible] Emile Male, the [illegible] greatest stirring discourse of Fr. Sertillanges, 'La Justice Vengeresse.'

"From local inquiries now being methodically conducted in the diocese of Chalons, from that of St. Die, to which we owe the graphic volume of Mr. Colin, 'Les Barbares a la Trouee des Vosges,' we shall learn in proportion to the liberation of the territory what were the insults and tortures inflicted on the priests. 'Le Martyre du Clerge Francais,' such as it has been related until now, contains only the all too eloquent recital of many odious murders, without speaking of the deportation inflicted on many of the cures who are still in Germany and the sacrileges committed by the hordes of modern vandals.

"This series of horrible facts, though imperfectly known, above all the provocation to fresh murders emanating from Erzberger, that singular representative of the German centre, have drawn from the courageous Luxemburger, Mr. Emile Prum, a movement of revolt against the Germanism of which he had formerly been a partisan. One recognises in his open letter the expression of his disgust at so anti-Christian a doctrine—the danger with which Pangermanism threatens Catholic convictions.

"How can one fail to understand it better still from the doctrinal study of the Chanoine Gaudeau, with its suggestive title so sadly true, that the 'Danger pour l'Eglise est en Allemagne'?

"There, in fact, the 'Government is watching carefully' that it may make a derisive semblance of protection for Catholics square with the Protestant (or rather ultra-rationalist) ideas and institutions of which the State considers itself before all the guardian and tutor. From this morbid tutelage the interest of the Catholic Church is to free herself, and nothing will save her but the definite victory of the Allies over this 'evangelical' Kaiser, who, in order to triumph, makes an alliance with the Turks, proclaims the Holy War, and would, in case of need, make a pact with Satan."

HAD INTERVIEW WITH CROWN PRINCE

French Corporal, Taken Prisoner in Argonne, Questioned by Kaiser's Son—Got Little Information

One French soldier at least has the unique record of having been taken prisoner by the Germans, of having a talk with the German Crown Prince and of subsequently escaping and rejoining his own regiment.

The man, Rene Destouches, is a corporal in an infantry regiment. Destouches was recently captured and taken before the Crown Prince, with whom was an elderly officer wearing the Iron Cross; and when Destouches was introduced to their presence the Kaiser's heir was laughing heartily at some remark made by his companion, to whom His Imperial Highness had offered a cigar. The audience took place in one of several square tents erected on low-lying ground just behind the German second line of trenches, the tent being lighted by two oil lamps.

"The Crown Prince," said Destouches, "looked thin and tired, but seemed nervously elated. With his hands in his pockets, he continued to pace up and down the tent.

"'Well, Destouches,' he said derisively, 'what do you want here? What were you up to when you were captured?' He spoke in French, which was perfect, except for a slight accent which was more nasal than guttural."

"I was doing my duty," replied Destouches.

"Are you such a good patriot that you always do your duty?" asked the Prince. "Most of your compatriots whom we capture are glad to be out of it and well looked after."

"Since you ask me," said Destouches, "I can only say I find it difficult to believe."

"Well, you'll soon know," observed the Crown Prince, "when you get amongst them. You will find life in a German prisoners' camp is not so terrible after all."

After receiving several vague, equivocal answers to other inquiries, the Crown Prince yawned wearily, threw away his half-smoked cigar, and, with a sad smile, remarked, "I'm afraid you are rather stupid, Destouches, and don't keep your eyes open. Still, we can find these things for ourselves." He signed to Destouches' escort to remove him, then turned on his heel suddenly and said, "I suppose your chiefs never tell you how badly things are going with you?"

"No," replied Destouches significantly," but they frequently express their gratitude to us. There is no need to tell us how things are progressing, for every man of us sees for himself that the situation is excellent."

Less than ten minutes afterwards a powerful counter-attack by the French retook the lost ground and in the confusion of the hand-to-hand combat which followed, Destouches was left practically unguarded. Profiting by this fact and the darkness he made good his escape and, before regaining the French lines with the attacking party actually took part in the fighting, though armed only with a knife which he borrowed from a comrade.

NEW STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Concern Incorporated With Large Capital Will Build and Operate Freighters

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—The France and Canada Steamship Company, Ltd., with headquarters at Montreal, and with a capitalization of $1,000,000, has been incorporated by Dominion letters patent. The company will build, purchase, charter, etc., vessels of various kinds and will carry on the business of shippers, freighters and general ocean carriers.

Letters patent have also been granted to the Electro-Zinc Company, Ltd., with headquarters at Sherbrooke, Que., and a capitalization of $24,000. The incorporators comprise Leland D. Adams of Oakland, Calif., mining engineer, and Charles H. Maxey of Rutherford, N.J., mine operator. The company will operate mines, smelters and refineries. The bounty recently offered on zinc no doubt has been the inducement for the formation of the company.

NO DECISION MADE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—If the sentiments expressed at the Bulgarian embassy yesterday, upon the return of Minister Panaretoff from New York, are the Bulgarian Government's sentiments, that country's mobilization is simply a club to be used in a final effort to force the Allies to persuade Serbia and Greece to cede Macedonia to Bulgaria.

It was stated that Bulgaria's mobilization does not indicate that Bulgaria will join the Teutonic Allies. The diplomatic representatives of the quadruple alliance in Greece, Serbia, Roumania and Italy, it was pointed out, are still working to bring about an agreement satisfactory to Bulgaria. It was emphatically denied that the mobilization indicated that Bulgaria had delivered an ultimatum to the Allies.

One explanation made was that it would require ten days for the mobilization to be completed and that by then the outcome of the pending and final negotiations would be known. Regardless of the side on which Bulgaria fights, it is desirable to be fully prepared when the decision is made, said one member of the embassy.

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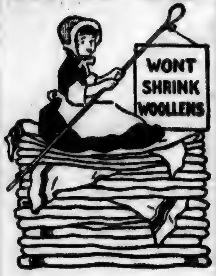

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SAANICH FAIR IS WELL ATTENDED

Annual Exhibition Is Voted Splendid Success — Many Present From Victoria— List of Prize Winners.

With a first class display of stock and splendid exhibits of fruit, vegetables, etc., the annual show of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society was continued yesterday and brought to a conclusion in the evening. Victoria was largely represented, and the people of the district flocked to the exhibition hall from Sidney and various other points. There was no disappointment. The fair, it was unanimously concluded, was fully as good as any that had gone before and considerably higher class in some respects.

Part of the band of the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers, was in attendance, and furnished some music during the afternoon. The Boy Scouts of Mount Newton, under Assistant Scoutmaster Hilton, gave an exhibition of drill which was watched with keen interest. The boys acquitted themselves most creditably and were heartily applauded. Headed by the band, they were marched about the grounds before being dismissed.

The ladies' work again received special commendation and, although there was so much entered of outstanding worth, Mrs. J. S. Reid of Saanich is entitled to special mention for the excellence of several of her entries, one of which, the cake, carried off first prize. This is the third successive time that she has been awarded high honors.

To visitors, the lunch and refreshments served by the ladies were a real treat. There was plenty of wholesome food as well as dainties, and everything was served most tastily. Mrs. Derrimberg, who was in charge, and all who assisted, are deserving of sincere congratulations.

A feature which should not be omitted is the pictures of the pioneers of the Saanich district, which were loaned to the association by Mr. J. Thompson. Practically all the men identified with the early development of Vancouver Island are included in the groups.

The results follow:

Horses

Span Horses — First, Broadheath Farm; second, Harrison.

Single Horses—First, A. Thompson; second, J. T. Harrison.

Two-year-old Gelding or Filly—First, J. T. Harrison; second, Aronmead Farm.

Yearling Colt — First, Broadmead Farm; second, E. V. Fullerton.

Team Horses—First, J. L. Brooks; second, W. Mitchell.

Mare and Foal—First, A. McIlmoyl.

Single Horse—First, J. L. Brooks; second, W. Mitchell.

Two-year-old Gelding or Filly—First, A. Mitchell.

Yearling Colt—First, W. McIlmoyl; second, A. C. Nimmo.

Sucking Colt—First, W. McIlmoyl.

Span Horses—First, E. A. Bates.

Buggy Horse—First, W. Harrison; second, E. A. Bates.

Saddle Horse—First, Miss F. Miller; second, W. Heaton.

Two-year-old Gelding or Filly—First, W. H. Ellis.

Yearling Colt—First, W. B. S. Pulson.

Brood Mare with Foal—First, W. Heaton; second, W. B. S. Pulson.

Sucking Colt—First, W. B. S. Pulson; second, W. Heaton.

Special prize for best Sucking Colt—First, Chas. McIlmoyl; second, W. B. S. Pulson.

Pony—First, W. H. Bissett.

Pony—First, W. H. Bissett; second, W. A. Bissett.

Cattle

Cow—First, J. L. Brooks.

Heifer—First, A. T. Pendray.

Heifer—First, A. T. Pendray.

Bull, two years old—First, W. Mitchell; second, E. N. Fullerton.

Bull, one year old—First, W. Heaton.

Bull Calf—First, W. Heaton.

Cow—First and second, W. Heaton.

Heifer, one year old—First, W. Heaton.

Heifer Calf—First, W. Heaton.

Cow—First, W. B. S. Pulson; second, W. Thompson.

Heifer, two years old—First, W. B. S. Pulson.

Heifer—one year old—First, W. B. S. Pulson.

Heifer Calf—First, W. B. S. Pulson.

Cow—First, W. Heaton; second, R. B. Minns.

Heifer, two years old—First, W. Heaton.

Heifer, one year old—First and second, A. Thompson.

Heifer Calf—First, A. Thompson; second, W. Heaton.

Best Bull, any breed—First, W. Heaton.

Best Milch Cow, any age or breed—First, W. Heaton.

Ram—First, W. Heaton.

Ram—First, Broadmead Farm.

Ewe—First, Broadmead Farm; second, W. Heaton.

Ewe Shearling—First, W. Derrinberg.

Ewe Lamb—First, W. Derrinberg.

Ram, two sheafs over—First, A. Ferguson.

Ewe—First, A. Ferguson.

Ewe Shearling—First, A. Ferguson.

Ewe Lamb—First, A. Ferguson.

Boar—First, S. Sidwell.

Sow—First, W. H. B. Pulson.

Sow—First, W. Derrinberg.

Sow—First and second, W. Derrinberg.

Poultry

Plymouth Rocks, Barred Cockerel—First, Geo. Cliff; second, W. Heaton.

Plymouth Rocks, Barred Pullet—First, E. A. Bates; second, W. Heaton.

Plymouth Rocks, Barred Cock—First and second, J. Moon.

Plymouth Rocks, Barred Hen—First, Jos. Moon; second, W. Heaton.

Plymouth Rocks, White Cockerel—First and second, W. Heaton.

Plymouth Rocks, White Pullet—First and second, W. Heaton.

Plymouth Rocks, White Cock—First and second, W. Heaton.

Plymouth Rocks, White Hen—First and second, W. Heaton.

Rocks, any color, breeding pen—First and second, W. Heaton.

Rhode Island Reds, Cockerel—First and second, M. L. Calvert.

Rhode Island Reds, Pullet—First and second, M. L. Calvert.

Rhode Island Reds, Cock—First and second, M. L. Calvert.

Rhode Island Red, hen—First, M. L. Calvert; second, J. Malcolm.

Rhode Island Red, breeding pen—First and second, M. L. Calvert.

Wyandottes, white cockerel — First, Jos. Moon; second, Dean Bros.

Wyandottes, white pullet—First, Nakano Bros.; second, Dean Bros.

Wyandottes, white cock—First, Jos. Moon; second, Dean Bros.

Wyandottes—white hen — First, Jos. Moon; second, Dean Bros.

Wyandottes, any color, breeding pen—First, Dean Bros.

Leghorns, white cockerel—First, J. L. Brooks.

Leghorns, white pullet — First, Jos. Moon; second, J. L. Brooks.

Leghorns, white cock—Disqualified.

Leghorns, white hen—Disqualified.

Leghorns, brown hen—Disqualified.

Leghorns, any other color breeding pen—Disqualified.

Orpingtons, black cockerel—1st and second, W. H. Williams.

Orpington, black cockerel—First and second, W. H. Williams.

Orpington, black pullet—First and second, W. H. Williams.

Orpington, black cock—Disqualified.

Orpington, black hen—First and second, W. H. Williams.

Orpington, buff cock—First and second, W. Heaton.

Orpington, buff hen—First and second, W. Heaton.

Orpington, white cockerel—Disqualified.

Orpington, white pullet—First and second, Major A. B. McKenzie.

Orpington, white cock—First and second, W. B. S. Poulson.

Orpington, white hen—First, Major A. B. McKenzie; second, W. Heaton.

Orpingtons, any other color, breeding pen—First, W. Heaton.

Any other variety, cockerel—First and second, W. Heaton.

Any other variety, pullet—First, W. Heaton; second, W. B. S. Poulson.

Any other variety, cock—First and second, W. Heaton.

Any other variety, hen—First and second, W. Heaton.

Bantams, cock and hen—First and second, W. Heaton.

Pekin Ducks, male and female—First, Major A. B. McKenzie; second, Geo. W. Malcolm.

Rabbits, pair—First and second, James Dryden.

Grain, Grass Seeds, Etc.

Fall Wheat—First, Dean Bros.; second, T. Hagan.

Spring Wheat—First, Dean Bros.; second, J. L. Brooks.

Chevalier Barley—First and second, H. A. King.

Rough Barley—First, H. A. King; second, Nekano Bros.

White Oats—First, W. Mitchell; second, H. A. King.

Field Peas—First, Nekano Bros.; second, S. Sidwell.

Sweet Peas—First, H. A. King.

Beans—First, Nekano Bros.

Bale of Hay—First, W. Mitchell; second, H. Sidwell.

Fodder Corn—First, Dean Bros.; second, F. Turgoose.

Forage Plants—First, P. T. Simon.

Collection of Grain—Second, L. Hagan.

Sheaf of Wheat—First, Dean Bros.; second, Major A. B. McKenzie.

Sheaf of Oats—Second, Dean Bros.

Sheaf of Barley—Second, Major A. B. McKenzie.

Roots and Vegetables

Early Potatoes—First, George Cliff; second, George Cliff.

Late Potatoes—First, George Cliff; second, Tanner Bros.

Late Potatoes—First, W. Derrinberg.

Potatoes, New Variety—First, W. B. S. Polson; second, Nechano Bros.

Collection of Potatoes—First, H. A. King; second, Nakano Bros.

Turnips, White Globe—Second, Nakano Bros.

Turnip, Orange Jelly—Second, George Cliff.

Carrots, Shorthorn—First, J. S. Reid; second, Dean Bros.

Carrots, Intermediate—First, W. Mitchell; second, Dean Bros.

Parsnips—First, Nekano Bros; second, Dean Bros.

Summer Cabbage—First, J. A. Grant; second, W. B. Polson.

Winter Cabbage—First, Nakano Bros.; second, Tanner Bros.

Red Cabbage—First, J. A. Grant; second, Nakano Bros.

Savoy Cabbage—First, George Cliff; second, Nakano Bros.

Brussels Sprouts—First, Nakano Bros.; second, B. I. Lemon.

Cabbage Lettuce—First, Nakano Bros.

Cauliflower—First, Nakano Bros.; second, George Cliff.

Onions, White—First, Dean Bros.; second, H. A. King.

Onions, Yellow—First, Nakano Bros.; second, J. A. Grant.

Onions, Red or Brown—Nakano Bros.; second, F. G. White.

Onions, White Pickling—First, Nakano Bros.; second, Dean Bros.

Onions, Red Pickling—First, Nakano Bros.; second, J. A. Grant.

Shallots—First, Nakano Bros.; second, Mrs. A. McKenzie.

Peas, Green, in Pod—First, Nakano Bros.

Beans, Scarlet Runners—First, Nakano Bros; second, Mrs. A. McKenzie.

Beans, Green Dwarf—First, Nakano Bros.; second, W. B. Polson.

Sweet Corn—First, J. T. Harrison; second, Nakano Bros.

Beets, Long—First, J. A. Grant; second, J. T. Harrison.

Beets, Globe—First, H. A. King; second, Nakano Bros.

Celery—First, T. P. Lemon; second, Nakano Bros.

Squash, Hubbard—First, Nakano Bros.; second, J. A. Grant.

Vegetable Marrow, Green—First, J. A. Grant.

Vegetable Marrow, white or Yellow—First, W. Mitchell; second, Nakano Bros.

Squash, Other Variety—First, W. Mitchell; second, W. B. Polson.

Collection of Squash—First, Mehano Bros.; second, W. Mitchell.

Pumpkins—First, E. R. Starling; second, W. Mitchell.

Tomatoes Under Glass—First, G. H. Mt. Newton.

Tomatoes, Open Air—First, J. T. Harrison; second, Mehano Bros.

Cucumbers, Open—First, J. A. Grant; second, W. Derrinberg.

Cucumbers, Pickling—First, Mehano Bros.

Citrons—First, Mrs. J. A. Grant; second, J. T. Harrison.

Watermelons—First, Dean Bros.; second, J. A. Grant.

Muskmelons—First, W. Mitchell; second, Mehano Bros.

Kale—First, W. B. Tulson.

Leeks—First, Mehano Bros.; second, J. A. Grant.

Field Roots for Stock

Mangolds, Long—First, Dean Bros.; second, H. A. King.

Mangolds, Yellow, Intermediate—First, Dean Bros.; second, George Cliff.

Mangolds, Globe—First, George Cliff.

Mangolds, Sugar—First, P. T. Lemon.

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Bread, White—First, J. T. Harrison; second, Dean Bros.; third, Mrs. R. E. Nimmo.

Graham Bread—First, Mrs. J. S. Reid; second, Miss A. Malcolm.

Chocolate Cake—First, Miss H. M. McKenzie; second, Mrs. J. W. Hambley.

Cocoanut Cake—First, Nellie Harrison; second, Miss M. H. McKenzie.

Fruit Cake—First, Mrs. J. S. Reid; second, Mrs. A. McKenzie.

Lemon Cake—First, Mrs. R. E. Nimmo; second, S. Brethour.

Deep Apple Pie—First, Mrs. A. McKenzie; second, Mrs. R. C. Nimmo.

Flat Apple Pie—First, Mrs. R. C. Nimmo; second, Mrs. W. H. McKenzie.

Bread Lunch Rolls—First, Mrs. R. E. Nimmo; second, Mrs. A. McKenzie.

Dressed Fowl for Market—First, Mrs. Dean; second, Dean Bros.

Hens' Eggs, Single Yolked, White—First, J. C. Butterfield; second, J. L. Brooks.

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Display of Honey—First, Mrs. W. R. Armstrong.

Apples

Collection of Apples—First, N. Wilkinson; second, Tanner Bros.

Collection of Apples—First, H. Barton; second, N. Wilkinson.

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Pears

Bartlett—First, J. Watt and Son; second, Edith Harrison.

Buerre Bussock—First, Mehano Bros.; second, N. Wilkinson.

Flemish Beauty—First, Thomas Adams.

Louise Bonne de Jersey—First, Mehano Bros.

Buerre Clanjean—First, Mehano Bros.; second, J. N. Hedley.

Any Other Variety—First, Mehano Bros.; second, J. N. Hedley.

Collection of Pears—First, Mehano Bros.; second, W. Wilkinson.

Best Packed Box of Pears—First, Mehano Bros.; second, N. Wilkinson.

Plums

Coe Golden Drop—First, P. Halloway; second, Mehano Bros.

Grand Duke—First, Mrs. J. S. Reid.

Italian Prunes—First, P. Halloway; second, Mehano Bros.

French Prunes—First, Mrs. Hafer.

Hyslop Crab Apples—First, S. Sandover; second, B. H. Kilpatrick.

Peaches—First, Mrs. Hafer; second, Mehano Bros.

Quinces—First, N. Wilkinson.

Plate of Walnuts—First, S. Sandover; second, R. T. Nimmo.

Bunches of Grapes—First, Mehano Bros.; second, J. Maynard.

CONCEALING TRUTH FROM THEIR PEOPLE

German Authorities Following Consistent Policy of Deception—Attitude Towards Austrians and Hungarians.

"Neutral" writes in The London Times:

"The concealments of Germany consist in hiding the losses of particular operations of their armies. Losses of Zeppelins—and I strongly suspect one or two naval losses—are withheld from the public. Accounts of discontent in parts of Germany, and especially among the women in Berlin last Winter, the pathetic condition of Austria, and the weariness of the Czechs and Slavs are suppressed.

"The vital question as to the amount of the German losses is constantly discussed here by military writers, but none of the calculations I have read agree with the opinions I have formed —on inadequate grounds, I admit—by much travel and inquiry in Germany, Austria and Hungary. Certain facts, however, are beyond question. One is the great unpopularity of the Crown Prince, and this is partly due to the knowledge imparted by word of mouth from one end of Germany to the other that his tactical blunders have caused frightful waste of life.

"Within the last few days I have received in a roundabout way a letter from a friend—an officer in the left wing of Mackensen's army. It contains certain information as to the terrific amount of marching and the discomforts thereof. It was partly written in a manner that only he and I can understand, but there was no reference to any terrible losses and, had he known of them, I am certain they would have been indicated.

"Despite all the vigilance of the German authorities, much correspondence does pass between the army and the civilian population. There is altogether in this war a considerable amount of clandestine letter-writing. The very rigidity of German repressive regulations seems to permit of clever infractions of the rules, and if I were set the task of spying—which I have no intention of undertaking—I should prefer, on the whole, from the point of view of safety, to spy in Germany rather than in France. On the occasion of my last visit to Berlin I entered the city, remained there several days, and left it, being asked no questions and signing no police forms. People in Switzerland carry on a regular correspondence with Belgium and the parts of France held by the Germans by addressing their letters to 'Luttich (Liege), Preussen" (Prussia), or 'Lille Preussen.'

Nightmare of Ypes

"It is not difficult to discover broadly the reason for the intentional concealment of the Germans. They are hiding the fact that, while they have made every preparation for it, they do not want another Winter campaign. To me this is not an indication of the shortage of food or cotton—of the latter they have laid in during the last few months a gigantic store—or of indiarubber, of which they are distinctly not destitute. It is an indication that the memory of last Winter round Dixmude is a nightmare among the whole German army. Austria will never forget her Winter in the Carpathians, or Germany the losses in the Ypres district. One or two suspensions of the Vorwaerts were, I believe, due not to any political expressions, but to the publication of expressions of detestation on the part of German soldiers of the horrors of the wet trenches in front of the British and Belgian armies.

"It is never worth while to trust the word of a German Socialist, for his views are always tinctured with opinions which, though they do not prevent him voting for the war like any other German, obscure his judgment as to the cause of the war. Socialists have hinted to me that, when the German losses became known, the German peoples will unite to destroy the governing clique who brought about the war. I am afraid I have little faith in that theory. I was one of those who for years hoped against hope that when the issue of peace and war came German Socialists would—as they had often informed me—stand firm; but when the issue came the majority of them were just ordinary Germans. Their minds were as easily affected by the great lie that Germany was fighting a defensive war against Russia, France and England as were those of the simplest peasants. German Socialists, with the exception of Liebknecht and a few others, are Germans first and Socialists afterwards.

Treachery to Austria

"Germany's injustice to Austria and Hungary is a subject not sufficiently understood in enemy or neutral countries. I have constantly heard it suggested that Germany, with her population of 67,000,000, is greatly to be admired for her power in fighting so many enemies. Such a statement does a gross injustice to Austria and Hungary. It has always been the fashion to despise Austria as a fighting force, and to regard Hungary more from the point of view of music than militarism, but owing to constant prodding from Berlin, both Austria and Hungary were wonderfully equipped for war from the outset, and are calling up every available man. One has heard no stories of Austrian or Hungarian lack of shell, and I have been assured by those in a position to know that Austria has never been short of ammunition since the war began, despite her immense expenditure of it.

"The Austrian losses and those of Hungary had, when I left Germany, been altogether out of proportion to those of the Germans. The German losses are, of course, greater than those in the published lists, for close examination of the sheets will show that casualties are sometimes withheld either by design or through difficulty of collection for months. In one of the most recent lists I found some casualties nearly a year old, though not many. The Austrian casualty lists are in an altogether chaotic condition.

"One does not need the publication of any such figures to know that Vienna and Budapest are in mourning to a degree unprecedented in the history of war. The absence of much display of mourning is misleading. One found out the truth by conversations with Americans in Vienna or Englishmen in Budapest, to whom, by the way, the Hungarians behave well, and who, at the time of my leaving, were not molested or even interned.

Hungarians' Part

The Hungarians were, at the outset, astounded to find themselves at war with England; they had never calculated upon such an eventuality. But for the strenuous efforts of Count Tisza, I doubt whether they would have taken the vigorous part in the struggle they have. It is admitted by Germans, who always sneer at the Austrians, that the Hungarians have fought magnificently. Most of their fighting—though not all—has been against the Russians—their hereditary enemies. It would not have been wise to have brought them against the English or the French.

"That there has been much friction between the Germans and the Austrians has been notorious, and it may have been noticed recently that high German personages in their communiques often now refer to the 'German-Austro-Hungarian' forces instead of claiming everything for Germany alone. Austria has produced no general, and it is true that her upper classes cut a sorry figure in the story of the war. Her terrible losses render it a monstrous injustice that Germans should seize all the credit for successes. If ever it be possible to get from the Germans a full account of what Austria has do[illegible]ll be found also that the part [illegible] played in keeping the Balkans [illegible] bitions of force has been [illegible]

"As for the Turks, they are generally mentioned with a laugh by the average German officer. They are admittedly brave, docile—with an extraordinary degree of patience—and are good defensive fighters. If by any chance success attend the Turks in Gallipoli it will be claimed by Germans as a victory for their organization, barbed wire and machine guns. The Germans do not give anything away, and least of all credit for success."

Victoria of Fifty Years Ago

By EDGAR FAWCETT.

An Inquest in the Rough

I have been given the particulars of the shooting, death, and the inquest on an Indian by an eye-witness at Stamp's sawmill, Barclay Sound, fifty-one years ago. The incidents are as follows: The story was told me by the engineer of the steamer Thames, Capt. Henderson, who was lying at Capt. Stamp's mill in 1864, waiting for an English vessel that was loading spars at the mill for Australia prior to proceeding to Utsalady, Puget Sound, to take on the balance of her cargo. The millhands formed the community, and Mr. Gilbert Sproat was resident magistrate. The resident medical man also acted as bookkeeper, and, although a clever man, was very dissipated, taking the position to get away from the temptations of a city.

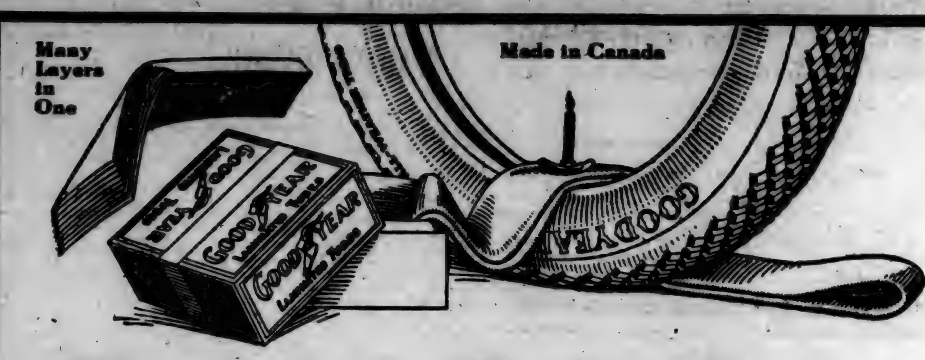
Well, in connection with the mill was a vegetable garden, presided over by one of the millhands. Noticing that his vegetables were disappearing quicker than they should, and suspecting certain Indians who frequented the mill, he determined to watch, one moonlight night, with a shotgun loaded with bird shot, intending if the Indians were the culprits to frighten them off with a volley over their heads. Sure enough, they appeared, and were caught in the act. The gardener fired, as he thought, over their heads, but, unfortunately, hit one of the Indians, who received a mortal wound, for he soon died, and Mr. Sproat called a coroner's inquest together, and the doctor-bookkeeper was called in for a post-mortem. The millhands, seeing that the gardener was likely to be charged with manslaughter, talked the matter over with the doctor, to save their friend if possible. At the inquest the doctor stated that, after an examination of the Indian, his opinion was that he had died, not from the shot, but from gorging himself with dried peas, of which he was very fond. This evidence did not suit the coroner, who said "Oh, tut! tut! Nonsense! That won't do." And finally announced that he would send the gardener down to Victoria to be tried. So he was locked up until the departure of the Thames a few days later. It subsequently turned out that the mill men formed a conspiracy to defeat this proceeding. When the ship was loaded, the prisoner was handcuffed and put in charge of one of the millhands, and later conveyed on board the Thames and locked up in a room (this was at night). During the night some of the conspirators proceeded on board the steamer, got access to the prisoner and his jailer, plied the latter with plenty of whisky, and when in a fit state, transferred the handcuffs from the prisoner to the jailer, who was by now fast asleep, and then conveyed the late prisoner to the sailing vessel. At daylight the steamer with her tow were miles away, making for Utsalady mills, where she duly arrived with the late prisoner a free man. I suppose this little story might be called "A Miscarriage of Justice!"

GETS LIFE SENTENCE

Belgian Traitor Will Be Deported—Gave Valuable Information to German General Staff

BOULOGNE, France, Sept. 25.—Pierre Theisen, a Belgian newspaper man, from Brussels, accused of having furnished the German general staff with information of extreme importance and which was detrimental to the entente Allies, was condemned by a court-martial today to perpetual deportation to a fortified place.

Theisen was arrested in 1891 and sentenced to five years' imprisonment, after which he resumed relations with the German army. He was arrested a second time on Aug. 5, 1914, at Brussels and turned over to the French authorities. He made a confession, but protested that as his offence was not committed in France, the French had no right to judge the case.



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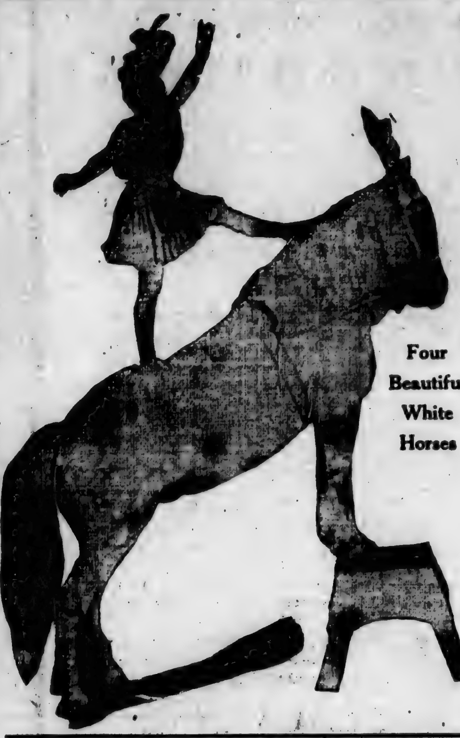

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MUSICAL NOTES

The film spectacle in which Pavlowa is to make her debut before moving picture audiences is based upon the opera "Masaniello," or "The Dumb Girl of Portici," in which the great dancer takes the part of "Fanello," the dumb heroine. It will cost the Universal Film Company a quarter of a million dollars to produce the spectacle, besides the enormous salary to be paid to Pavlowa herself. The Russian artist has thrown herself heart and soul into this new work, which is progressing splendidly.

A very good idea advanced by a correspondent in Musical America is that schools and colleges in America should engage specialists who would undertake to teach the children the folk songs of their country. That does not necessarily mean that the children of the United States and Canada would learn only Indian folk songs, though naturally they would form a small part of the repertoire. The British population of Canada is made up of descendants of English, Scotch, Irish and French parentage. Thus it may be seen at once that a vast musical field is open to students of folk-lore. Besides being of infinite benefit musically, this sort of instruction would foster the very finest national spirit, and would stimulate a broader interest in the most poetical of the country's traditions.

Josef Lehvinne, who had hoped to come to America this season, has been notified by the German authorities that he will not be permitted to leave Berlin until the close of the war. The Russian pianist is, however, allowed to continue his work of teaching and to give concerts for the benefit of the Red Cross.

One of the most promising among Hungary's young composers was killed at the front a few weeks ago. This was Aladar Rado, who used as the themes of many of his compositions the folk-songs of Hungary, and was beloved by his countrymen as no other present composer.

Curiously enough the London Choral Society was able this year for the first time in twelve years to come out with a balance on the right side of the sheet. Few of us, perhaps, realise to what an extent we depend upon music as a stimulus and an inspiration in time of trouble and perplexity. Music is almost as necessary to us, particularly in these trying days, as the sunshine. It is because of this that we have always advocated that the world's great artists should not be allowed to join the ranks and become a mark for the enemy's bullets. Their precious gifts are of no use to them at the front, and they would be of incalculable use at home, as witness the success of Kreisler, Caruso, Scotti, Botta, and scores of others.

Among some of Belgium's most precious treasures which have been spared by the devastating Huns are the bells at Malines, the most celebrated of the Belgian bells. At least this was the word which came out during the Summer. How long they and any other relics will be left unharmed is a matter of some doubt. Possibly when the Prussians begin their retreat they may wreak vengeance even upon what little they have hitherto spared.

Geraldine Farrar, who has been making herself conspicuous for her pro-German tendencies, now tells us that to have herself talked about is what she adores. This is not news to any of us, and one can excuse a great deal to Miss Farrar, as she is very pretty, and knows how to sing and act. But we refuse to take her philosophy seriously. It is one thing to be talked about, that is good advertising, but to be laughed at is another. It was one of Miss Farrar's own loved German philosophers who said that "to be laughed at is to be held in contempt." Miss Farrar's attempts at philosophy are laughable though not at all humorous.

And now we learn that Riccardo Martin, the American tenor, and his beautiful and talented wife, are to be divorced. They have one charming daughter. It is said that it was only after his marriage and with the aid of his wife that Martin ever reached the high place he now holds. His ingratitude is deplorable.

Amato, Scotti, Botta, Villani and others in a concert given recently for the Italian Red Cross netted over $5,000.

Carlos Salzedo, the famous French harpist, has arrived in America for a tour of the United States. He served in the French trenches and was very ill from rheumatism as a result of sleeping on the wet ground. He is sufficiently recovered to be able to play again with all his old-time charm.

Madame Melba realised $152,500 by her world tour.

ARMIES AFFLICTED BY NEW MICROBE

Germs That Defy Skill of Bacteriologists Infest Trenches—Tetanus and Gangrene Frequent Results of Wounds

A mysterious new microbe that thrives without oxygen has been unearthed by modern trench warfare and has confronted medical science with another riddle which Metchnikoff, Sir Almworth Wright, Dr. Cartel and other famous scientists are now working night and day to solve, writes C. F. Bertelli from Paris.

The new microbe, which resembles in most respects a microbe already discovered in the laboratory of Professor William H. Welth of Baltimore—the bacillus perfringens—is a deadly enemy to the armies in the field and has caused untold suffering and reaped a rich harvest of dead. Its mortal activities have hitherto set at naught the profundity of learning and experience now being brought to bear in military hospitals against war wounds and sickness.

Nowhere is the struggle against this devastating germ being waged with greater earnestness or more effect than at the magnificent American ambulance hospital at Neuilly, by the Gates of Paris, yet in the words of Dr. Edmund Gros, one of the leading members of the American medical staff, "we feel we stand where we did before Lister discovered antiseptic treatment."

"This war," Dr. Gros added, "will result in the revolutionizing of the whole scheme of antiseptic surgery. Accepted theories and practices do not apply to the army surgeon of today. The world must look to another man like Lister or Pasteur to enable us to cope with the terrible complications of gas and other gangrenes produced by these deadly and mysterious earth microbes."

Six months' experience of treating victims of trench warfare at the American hospital here, the best equipped military hospital the world has ever seen, in the opinion of the leading European bacteriologists and surgeons, has demonstrated the inefficaciousness of the usual antiseptic dressings for shell wounds. Soldiers who have remained in the trenches a few days become impregnated with microbes, which, as soon as shell splinter or bullet tears open the flesh, penetrate to the tissue and blood. The result is tetanus or gangrene, with very little chance of recovery unless treatment is immediate.

Problem for Bacteriologists

These earth microbes thrive without oxygen, so that the wound must not be allowed to heal until the germs are annihilated.

The cultivation of these microbes and the creation of a serum to destroy them as they eat into the tissues of wounded soldiers is the problem that Mechnikoff, Carrel, Tuffier, Weinberg and other great experimenters are now attacking.

"The wounded from the valley of the Aisne," said Dr. Benjamin Jabons, New York, head of the laboratory department of the American hospital, "seem to have suffered more from the medical riddle of modern warfare than any other troops. The Germans have suffered likewise.

The Pasteur Institute, although straining its utmost resources, was not able to meet the tremendous demand for serums, and many died of tetanus.

"The kindness of several American firms and the New York Board of Health, through Dr. Park, enabled the American hospital here to treat every one of the numerous thousands of cases received, so that only five cases of tetanus have developed, three proving fatal. Recently we have not had a single case.

"Phlegmonous gas gangrene has not been so sparing. Our mortality percentage from this disease, however, is in no way comparable to the tremendous mortality elsewhere. The American hospital was the first to use the Weinberg vaccine, which has given such satisfactory results and promises to be a specific cure."

The devotion of the surgeons and nurses at the hospital saved many lives and limbs, but the rapid workings of the earth germs as the wounded soldiers lay untended on the battlefield have rendered amputations absolutely necessary in very many cases.

The equipment of the American hospital comprises vaccinotherapy, the administration of anti-toxin serum and other forms of specific therapy. For future educational purposes in the United States the laboratory is making a complete collection of anatomical specimens showing the nature and extent of gunshot wounds and the effects of modern projectiles, with accurate records, photographs, etc.

Since the beginning of the war about 1,000 operations have been performed at the American hospital. These have given scope for the marvellous skill of Drs. Joseph Blake, Richard Derby (Colonel Roosevelt's son-in-law), Du Bouchet and Magnin, whose work with the knife has amazed the most conservative surgeons of Paris.

Dental Surgery Helps

Dental surgery in particular, hitherto a somewhat despised branch of medicine in France, has achieved marvelous strides, thanks to the skill and daring of American practitioners, and has taken its place as a highly important feature of war surgery.

The nature of some of the frightful face wounds which the American surgeons have treated is thus described to me by Dr. Gross:

"In many cases the whole inferior maxillary bone was carried away and all the blood vessels and nerves of the neck exposed. These cases—with the awful gaping wound, in the middle of which lies a dried-up, useless tongue, with speech gone and the whole face alive with agony—are never to be forgotten. Many soldiers who have finally reached the sanitary trains alive, after untold suffering from excruciating thirst and pain, have often died from strangulation through the tongue falling back in the throat and obstructing the windpipe, or else from thirst.

"The American hospital is particularly well equipped for handling these cases on account of its very complete department of dental surgery. There, by means of plastic surgery, the flesh is finally covered by healthy skin, and by prothetic methods missing or mutilated maxillary bones are replaced by modern dental apparatus, in the construction of which American surgeons have always excelled.

"Another series of operations which render the greatest service to the wounded are those performed on the nerves. Nerve suturing is more or less modern and can only be performed by expert surgeons when the wounds are quite clean and devoid of suppuration. Many such operations have been performed at the American hospital, restoring the functions of an otherwise paralyzed limb."

Many such operations were performed by Dr. Crile, the eminent surgeon of Cleveland, also celebrated for his new methods of anaesthesia.

COMING EVENTS

Chapter in Charge — The Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take charge of the Temple Building tomorrow.

St. Columba Social—The members of the St. Columba Y.P.S.C.E. will hold a social tomorrow evening, this being the opening of the Fall programme.

Daughters of Pity—The Daughters of Pity will hold their first meeting after the Summer holiday, in the rest room of the Y. W. C. A., tomorrow, at 2:30 p.m.

W. C. T. U. General Board—A special meeting of the general board of the W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow, at 3 p.m., at the Y. W. C. A.

Second Degree Meeting — L.O.B.A. Purple Star Lodge No. 104 will hold a second degree meeting in the Orange Hall, Yates Street, on Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m.

Loyal Orange Association—Premier L.O.L. No. 1610 will meet in the Orange Hall, Yates Street, tomorrow, at 8 p.m., for regular business. Visiting brothers are invited to attend.

Rummage Sale—The Ladies' Bible Class of Centennial Church, Gorge Road, will hold a rummage sale on Wednesday afternoon, from 2 to 4 o'clock, in the Scott Building, Douglas Street.

Series of Dances—The Victoria Club, Campbell Building, will open its series of dances on Wednesday next at 8:30 p.m. All members and their friends are invited. Fancy dress will be optional.

Social Dance—A social dance will be held by Victoria Hive, No. 1, L. O. T. M., on Tuesday evening, in the Knights of Columbus Hall, in aid of Red Cross work. The regular meeting will be called at 7:30.

Rally Day—This afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, a special rally service will be held in Hollywood Presbyterian Sunday School, Wildwood Avenue, Foul Bay. All members, parents and friends are invited to attend.

Ladies' Aid at Home — On Tuesday evening an "At Home" will be held at the residence of Mr. A. B. and the Misses Fraser, 1234 Fisgard Street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Orange Whist Drive—The Queen of the Island Lodge, No. 209, L. O. B. A., will hold a whist drive and dance in the Orange Hall, Yates Street, on Thursday next, at 8 p.m. All Orangemen and members of Purple Star Lodge, No. 104, are requested to attend.

Afternoon Sessions—Commencing today, the First Baptist Bible School will resume the afternoon sessions, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. A special rally day programme will be rendered, and addresses given by Lieut. Clearihue and Mr. W. Marchant.

W. A. of Jubilee Hospital—The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital will be held on Tuesday, in the rest room of the Y. W. C. A. A good attendance of members is requested, as business of importance is to be brought before the meeting.

Recognition Service — On Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock, a recognition service and social will be held in the First Congregational Church and Sunday school to welcome Rev. Charles A. Sykes, D.D., as pastor. Rev. Mr. Unsworth, of Vancouver, will preside, and ministers of other city churches will be present.

Comforts for Soldiers—Queen City Chapter, O. E. S., will give a whist drive in the K. of P. Hall, on Wednesday, at 8 p.m., to obtain funds for comforts for the soldiers in the trenches, and the prisoners in Germany. A good attendance is expected for this worthy object. Tickets may be obtained from The Hat Shop, 705 Yates Street.

Jewish Mass Meeting—All those interested in the fund for aiding the homeless Jews of Russian Poland, Belgium and Palestine are invited to attend a mass meeting which will be held this evening at the Temple Emanu-El, corner of Blanshard and Quadra Streets. The meeting is being held under the auspices of the B'nai B'rith Lodge and Temple.

Sunday School Rally — This afternoon there will be a special session in the Sunday School of the Church of Our Lord (Reformed Episcopal). The programme has been prepared so as to interest both the parents and children and the young people who attend, and will include a special address by the Rev. I. W. Williamson, general secretary of the British Columbia Sunday School Association. All past members of the school, together with friends interested in the work, are very cordially invited to be present.

Fifth Regiment Band—The following is the programme for this evening's concert at the Royal Victoria Theatre, commencing at 8:45: March (new), "Farewell, My Comrades," Rimmer; overture, "Raymond," Thomas; vocal solo, "Selected," Mr. G. H. Swan; grand selection, "Faust—Part I," Gounod; piano solo, selected, Miss A. Muriset; cornet solo, "Lost Chord" (by request), Sir A. Sullivan, Bandmaster W. J. Smith; grand selection, "Faust—Part II," Gounod; descriptive piece, "A Hunting Scene," Bucalossi; march, "School Life," Goddard. God save the King. Miss A. Muriset, accompanist.

Concert at Pantages—A splendid programme is arranged for the concert by Rowland's Band at Pantages Theatre this evening. A feature will be the playing of Master Willie Balagno, the well known boy violinist. The programme follows: God Save the King; march, "Nautical" (Ramsay); medley, "Popular Airs" (Landers); vocal solo, Mr. M. Sampson; overture, "Choral" (Clement); violin solo, Master Willie Balagno; concert waltz, "Elaine" (Baxter); vocal solo, Mrs. W. Grant; intermezzo, "Gretchen" (Carrol). Accompanist, Mr. W. Charles. The concert commences at 8:45 p.m.

Mr. R. W. Hunter, mining engineer, has returned from a visit to the mining districts of the West Coast.

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SAANICH TOWNSHIP HAS PAVED ROADS

Motorists Soon Can Drive From City Hall to Royal Oak Without Leaving Bitulithic Surface.

Some idea of the road improvements in progress in the Saanich Municipality may be obtained by a view of the "oilcrete" pavement, which has been laid from the Royal Oak along the West Road for about a mile. It cost 82 cents a yard and its composition was suggested by Engineer Johnson, as well as being carried out under his supervision. The same road was laid in Point Grey and has given satisfaction for five years, so that the municipal officials hope that the same experience will be met with in this instance. It consists of a base of large rock three inches thick which is topped by asphaltum. Over this is deposited two inches of rock screenings which again is "frozen" by an application of asphaltum. The thoroughfare is finished by a coating of specially prepared dust.

Splendid progress is being made on the bitulithic pavement which is being laid by the Warren Construction Company from the city limits at Quadra street along the Saanich Road to the Royal Oak. There now is an open road as far in as Cloverdale Avenue, and in a few days it will be possible for the motorists to travel from the City Hall, via Quadra Street and the Saanich Road, to the Municipal Hall of the South Saanich township without leaving the pavement.

Reeve McGregor and the councillors of Saanich, as well as Engineer Johnson and other officials, are looking forward to watching the compartive effect of traffic on the two forms of pavement, namely, oilcrete and bitulithic. The latter consists simply of four inches of rock and two inches of the patent bitulithic. It costs $1.58 a square yard, almost twice as much as the oilcrete.

As soon as the contractors are finished on Quadra Street it is expected that they will be required to take up work either on Douglas Street between the city limits and the Saanich Road or on the Gorge Road, from the limits to Tillicum Road. Both these improvements have been authorised and the grading will be started, by the day labor system, without loss of time. It is hoped that these comparatively small pieces of pavement will be finished before the Winter season is far advanced.

"FRIENDS OF FREEDOM" AT WORK IN POLAND

Germans and Austrians Ruthlessly Slaughtering Peasants on Pretext That They Are Spies

Germany wants to free the seas, the Jews and Poland. In the meantime she and Austria are doing what they can to make Poland a hell upon earth. The Polish journal, The Kuryer Palski, published at Milwaukee, Wis., recently told of one day's work of the German court-martial. In one place twelve civilians sentenced to death and executed, being charged (though not proven) with "spying," "treason," etc. This week it tells the story of two days' work of an Austrian court-martial in Eastern Galicia, the natives executed being mostly Ruthenians. Here is the list of those sentenced by this court-martial of 31 Division on July 3 and 5, 1915:

Teophan Goral, age 56, father of seven children, a farmer of Tadanie; charged with having said at the time of the invasion of the Russians to another peasant: "Your Emperor will never return; our Emperor will now be Czar Nicholas; Frans Joseph is too old; Nicolai is younger and therefore better."

Dmytro Motyl, age 53, father of five children, peasant of Tadanie; charged with having expressed his satisfaction at the entrance of the Russians into Galicia.

Hryc Nakonieczny, age 51, father of six children, peasant of Tadanie; charged with having advised his Greek-Catholic brethren to join the Russian church, and with having been a spy, on an unknown date and at an unknown place.

Iva Portuhay, age 56, father of seven children, peasant of Tadanie; charged with "spying," because he was caught crossing the River Bug in the direction of the Russian army.

Tetko Martyniu, age 65, a peasant of Tadanie; charged with "treason" because he expressed his satisfaction at the occupation of Galicia by the Russians.

Vasyl Hhynko, age 53, father of four children, peasont of Tadanie; charged with having asked some of his Greek-Catholic brethren to join the Russian Church.

Catherine Hrynko, age 49, wife of Vasyl Hrynko, and mother of four children; charged with the same "crime" as her husband.

John Kucinski, age 40, shoemaker, of Ulanovo; charged with "spying."

Anastazya Lasczukiewicz, age 52, mother of four children, wife of a laborer of Kamionka Strumilova; charged with having expressed satisfaction at the entrance of the Russians into Kamionka Strumilova.

Dmytro Lanczyna, aged 32, father of two children, railroad man of Kamionka Strumilova; charged with "treason," because upon the entrance of the Russians into Kamionka Strumilova he accepted from them the office of a policeman.

All these ten people—eight men and two women—were hanged as common malefactors.

GERMANY SEEKING CONTROL OF PERSIA

The Temps, in an article with regard to the situation in Persia, states that the German consul at Kermanshah has declared that he will oppose, by means of armed force, the return of the British and Russian consuls to that town. He has addressed an ultimatum to the Governor of Kermanshah, with whom the two consuls are at present staying, stating that if he does not expel them, he will take the matter into his own hands. The Persian Government, owing to the prolongation of the ministerial crisis, is powerless to interfere. In South Persia, The Temps continues, the movement against British influence does not abate. The offices of the British India Company in the neighborhood of Bushire have been ransacked. Communications between Bushire and Shiraz are interrupted. It is thought, however, that, in spite of the serious situation, various factors, such as the Russian successes on the Caucasian front, the recent dispatch of a Russian detachment on the Afghan frontier which dispersed the bands organized by the Germans, and the reinforcement of the Russian detachment at Kazvin will influence the situation and prevent the country from definitely submitting to Germany.

Cargo Was Confiscated

NOME, Alaska, Sept. 25.—The small power schooner Diamond L, trading along the Siberian coast, was crushed in the ice, according to advices received today. Mike Gottschalk, of the schooner, a well-known fur trader of Nome, was taken a prisoner to Siberia by the Russian authorities, charged with shooting a Cossack. The cargo of the ship was confiscated.

WILL HAVE 10,000 MILES OPERATING

Canadian Northern Transcontinental System Is Accomplished Fact in Face of Many Difficulties.

The journey which Sir William Mackenzie recently completed traversing five provinces, over the rails of the C. N. R. between Toronto and Vancouver appears to have entirely vindicated the easy grade as the first principle of modern railway construction. The Presidential Special made the distance between Toronto and Port Arthur in less than twenty hours' actual running time, while Vancouver was reached in ninety-one hours, five hours less than four complete days. While the time probably will not be as fast when passenger trains commence to operate on schedule over the third Canadian transcontinental, there will be no question about the expeditious and economical handling of passengers and freight over the new through line.

The contracts for the major portion of the Canadian Northern transcontinental were let during 1911, and approximately, eighteen hundred miles of main line between Montreal and Port Arthur and between Edmonton and deep water on the Fraser have been constructed since that time. Work started almost simultaneously in Ontario and in British Columbia, and although many world-shaking events have intervened the work may now be said to have been completed. The line should enter into the life of the country within the next few months, as a system consisting of main lines and branches of upwards of ten thousand miles.

The last spike in the section between Sudbury and Port Arthur, over which the special rolled recently at a speed of fifty miles an hour, was driven on New Year's day, 1914. But with its eastern lines joined to those in the west at Port Arthur, there remained to be completed a line from Edmonton to Vancouver, before the Canadian Northern could achieve its full status as a transcontinental system. The distance of the located line running west from the capital of Alberta through the Yellowhead Pass, and down the valleys of the Thompson and Fraser Rivers to Pacific tide-water at Vancouver, was, approximately 775 miles. Construction commenced in British Columbia in July, 1910, and was proceeded with simultaneously on the several sections into which the task was divided. By the close of 1912, 124 miles of grade had been built, and twenty-eight miles of steel laid. During the following year the grade had been increased to 275 miles and the mileage of steel in place to seventy-five. On December 31st, 1913, the total of constructed grade was 361 miles, and that for trackage 239 miles. In the meantime the rails had been extended west from Edmonton, through the Yellowhead Pass to a point six miles within the confines of the Coast Province. The work proceeded during 1914, despite the outbreak of hostilities in Europe and the actual connection of the rails of the entire lines was affected near Basque, a small station 182 miles west of Port Mann, on the 23rd of January, 1915. In all, nineteen large steel bridges were constructed. At Yale, there was a tunnel drilled, 2,075 feet in length; at Black Canyon one 1,320 feet long, and at Battle Bluff a third 2,887 feet from portal to portal. The heaviest grading work occurred between Yale and Boston Bar on the Fraser River.

Easiest Gradients

The Canadian Northern Transcontinental system from Montreal to Vancouver will go into full operation with the great advantage of possessing the easiest gradients of any line of similar national importance on the continent of North America. The first road in America to cross the Rocky Mountain barrier was the Central Pacific, and its lines was carried through to the Coast with grades of 113 feet to the mile. Reductions were made by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific in the extent to which this maximum was used, but not in the maximum itself. The first transcontinental in Canada was content with a like grade, and it has two principal summits and two minor ones. The next line in Canada to construct to the Coast, succeeded in obtaining miximum grades of 53 feet to the mile. The Canadian Northern, however, climbs the eastern slopes of the Rockies with grades of 26 feet to the mile. The grade is continuous in its fall for the entire 500 miles from the summit of the Great Divide to the Pacific Ocean, and nowhere does the maximum against eastbound traffic exceed 37 feet to the mile. For 450 miles out of the 500, the maximum is 26 feet against eastbound, and practically nothing at all against equipment moving to the Coast. The difficulties from a standpoint of operation, therefore, are not any greater in the matter of grades than would be expected in Ontario. It is probable that the route of the Canadian Northern will always remain the best for through traffic of all the transcontinental railways. Nature provided the means of securing an easy grade to the sea in the Fraser River, which takes its rise in the pass. To have followed that stream, however, would have entailed a very considerable sacrifice in mileage. The Canadian Northern determined to achieve the easy grade by a direct route. So the line leaves the Fraser a few miles west of the summit, surmounts a subsidiary divide of low elevation, and reaches the North Thompson River, a tributary of the former, which it follows to the confluence of the two at Lytton, from which point the Fraser is followed to the Coast.

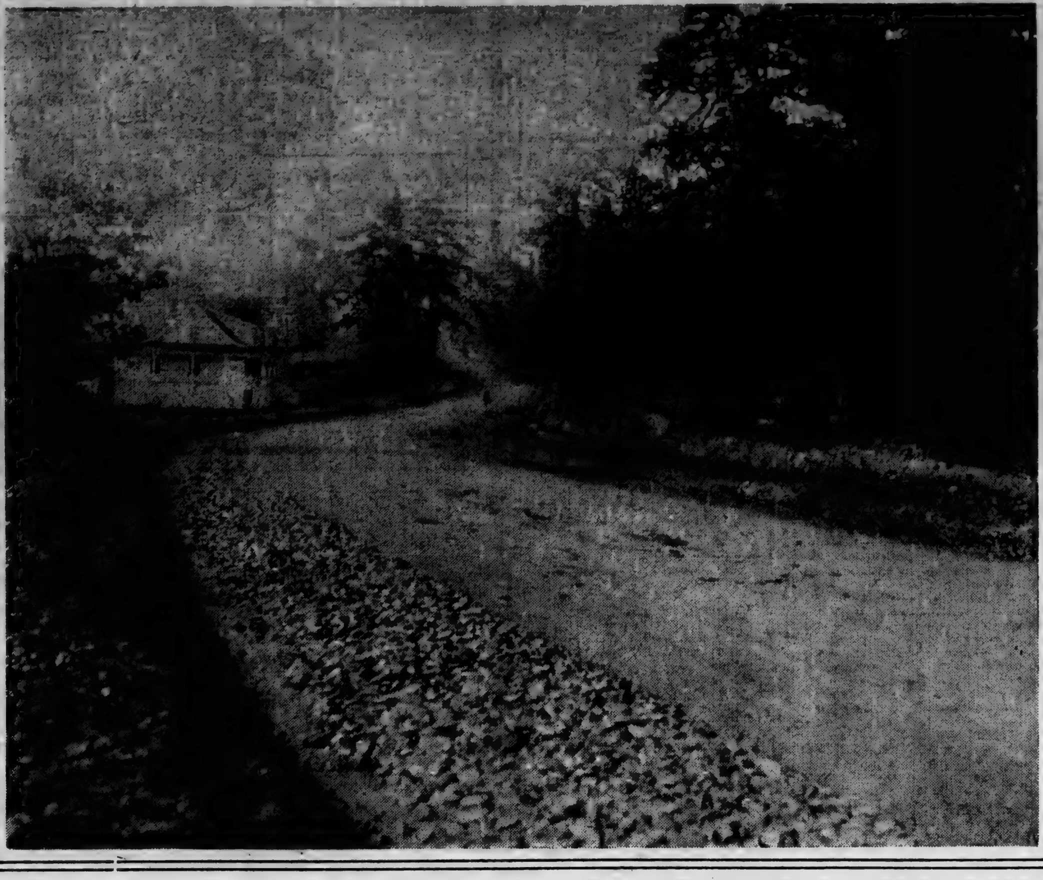
Construction of railways capable of economical operation was a problem which was comparatively easy of solution in the southern and central portions of the Province of Alberta, Saskatchewan, and Manitoba. Although there were sections in the West where the engineers of the Canadian Northern were compelled to locate the line through territories fairly well populated, a large portion of their work was simplified because the railways were developmental in character, and built through the country not closely settled. There was always an alternative when a disadvantageous grade might have been constructed, and, accordingly, the gradients of the main line, through these Provinces, and as a matter of fact, of the entire western system, harmonize perfectly with the remainder of the transcontinental chain."

Four Years Exploring

It was between Port Arthur, Ottawa and Montreal, where difficult problems had to be solved, before the 226-feet-to-the-mile grade which had been demanded was secured. Four years were consumed in exploration by survey parties, headed by the chief locating engineer of the company, Mr. H. K. Wickstead, before the C. N. R. were certain that the standard set could be obtained. The construction work is finished now, and throughout the entire 1,016 miles between Montreal and Port Arthur there is only ten miles where the gradients against eastbound traffic is 26 feet to the mile, or half of one per cent. That is located between Pembroke and North Bay. For the remaining 1,006 miles the line has been built to a standard which allows a rise of only 21 feet to the mile against trains moving towards the Atlantic, and 26 feet to the mile against equipment moving in the opposite direction. Over long distances the general level is so uniform that the grades are almost negligible. The Sudbury-Port Arthur division is one of the longest stretches of uniformly easy grades in the world, and is comparable with that of the New York Central and the Michigan Southern between Schenectady and Toledo. But in the case of the Canadian Northern the way was through rough, unexplored territory, while the American lines traversed settled country and run alongside the Mohawk River and Lakes Ontario and Erie for the entire distance. On the trunk line of the Canadian Northern between Toronto and Ottawa a high standard has likewise been adhered to. The maximum gradients in either direction is 26 feet to the mile.

Strenuous competition among the railways is more and more emphasizing the advantages of easy gradients. The line upon which one locomotive can haul its allotted load, unbroken, between all the points in its "run" is the line which may face the keenest competitor lacking those perfections without the slightest misgiving. The Canadian Northern adopted the easy grade from its inception, and the persistence of its builders in demanding a transcontinental with gradients unsurpassed upon the continent, and of easy curvature, is in accord with the strength of their appreciation of the importance of securing the maximum service from all the equipment used on the road.

Oilcrete Paved Road Beyond Royal Oak, Saanich



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"For four years this had gone on, and

Gladys Worrall.

the child was as far from health as ever. In fact, she was so ill that we thought she could never recover. One day, however, I was advised to give her Dr. Cassell's Tablets, and then, what an improvement! The child became stronger and not nearly so nervous. Her appetite returned, she brightened up wonderfully and rapidly put on flesh. Now, in her seventh year, she is completely cured. She goes to school, and is just as well and happy as any child could be."

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Baby Lewis.

thing terrible pain. He cried a lot, and his sleep was very disturbed. He would wake up suddenly with violent attacks of sickness, and evidently in great pain, and I was at my wits end to know what to do. Poor baby had wasted until he was only a frame of bones, and he looked almost as though he would fall to pieces, he was so appallingly thin. We could count every rib, every bone of his backbone.

Of course, I tried everything I could think of, and also took baby to an institution, but no sort of treatment did any good at all. By this time he was so far spent that we were waiting for the end. Once I was told that he could not live till Monday—that was on a Saturday. But in the end we got Dr. Cassell's Tablets, and the improvement was immediate. The diarrhoea and sickness ceased, and from that time my child never looked back. Now, at thirteen months, he is a fine, big healthy baby. He has cut five teeth, and is just a picture of health."

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Returns After Adventures

NOME, Alaska, Sept. 25.—The wooden steam whaler Belvedere, which left Seattle March 17 last, on an expedition to Siberian waters to hunt walrus, polar bears and whales, and which, as already reported, lost four of her crew from a capsized boat early last June, arrived from the north today. She narrowly escaped being crushed in the Arctic ice, which all reports agree is unusually heavy for this season of the year.

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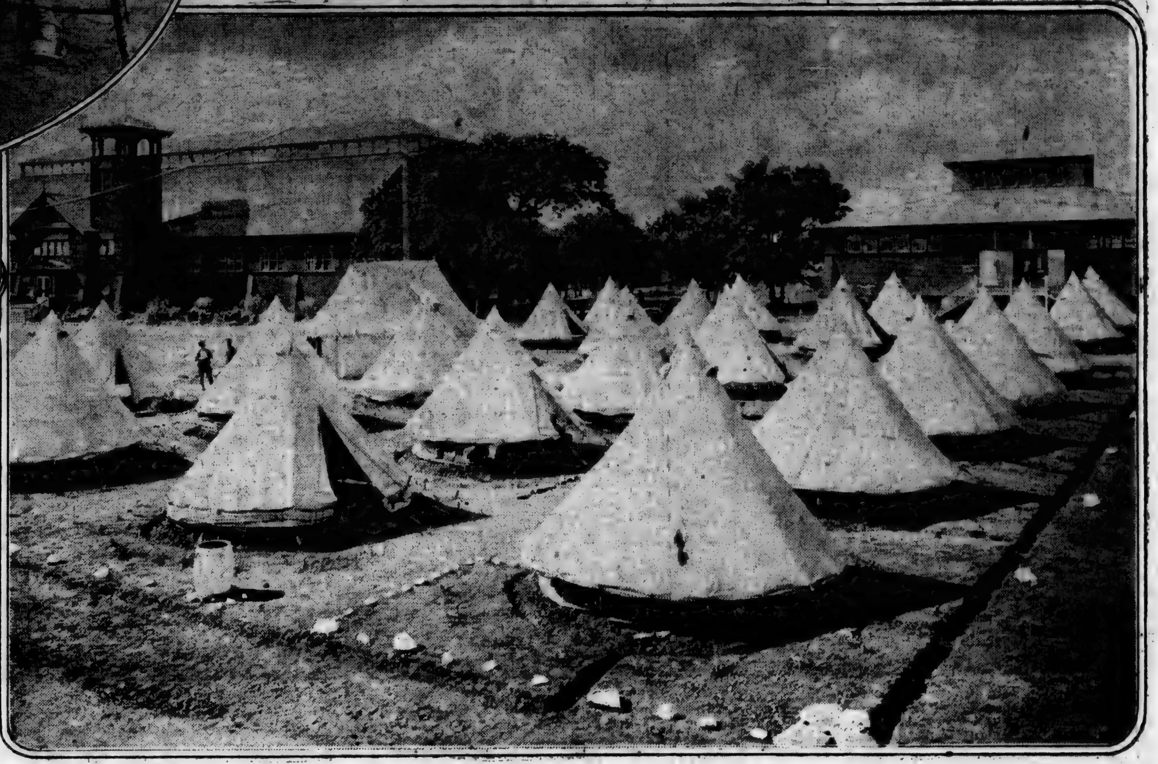
Officers of the Victoria Independent Squadron B.C. Horse — Standing, left to right, Lieuts. C.R. Dunsford, F.P. Barton, W.E. Ekins, Sitting, Lieut. A.H. Lawder, Major E.C.J. Henniker, O.C. and Capt. K.B. Spurgeon.

Photos by Harold Fleming

Officers and Noncommissioned Officers of the Squadron



Camp of the Victoria Independent Squadron B.C. Horse at the Willows

Guide to Illustrations

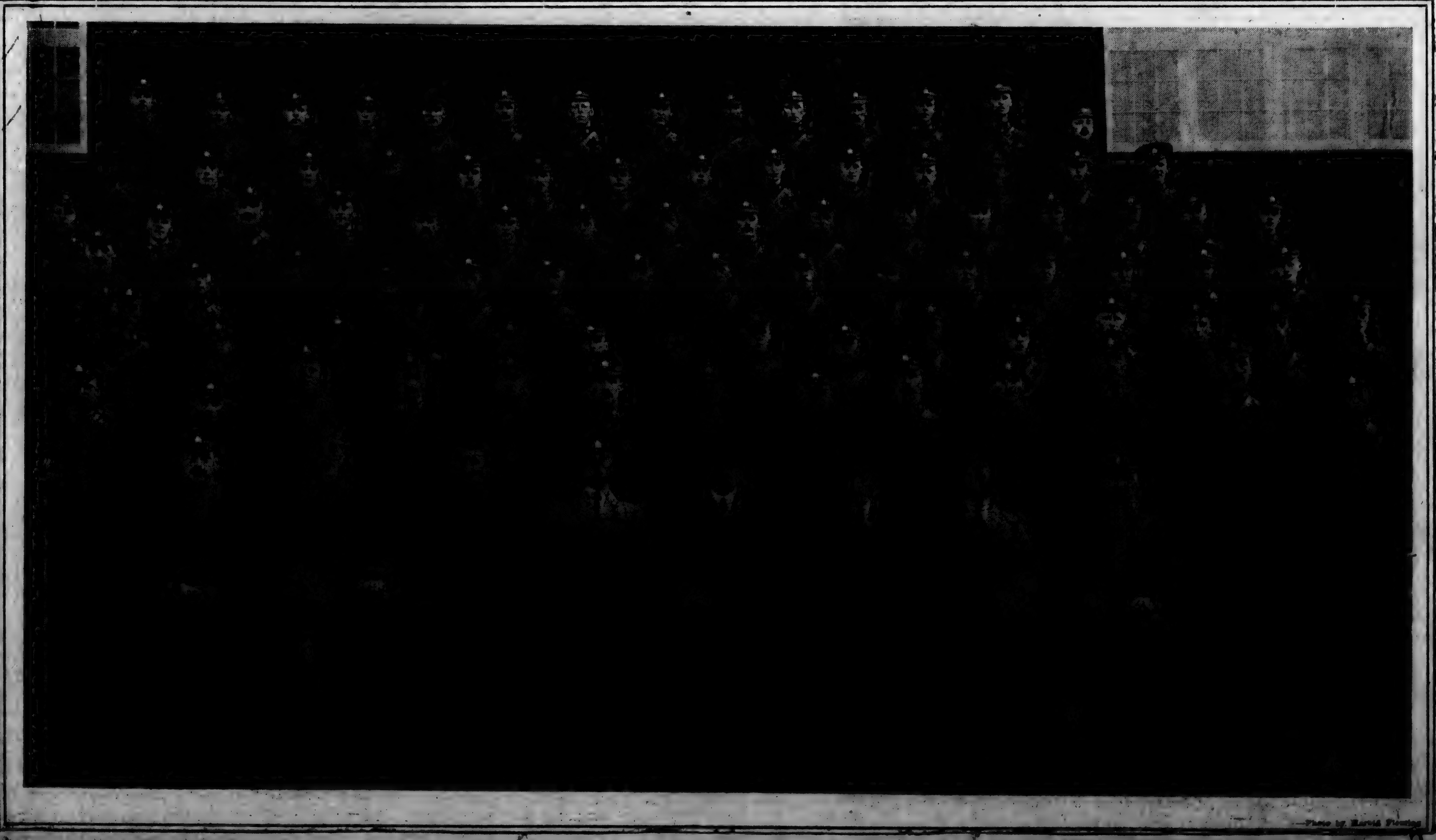
The following is a guide to the illustrations reproduced on this page:

Officers, left to right, standing—Lt. C. R. Dunsford, Lt. F. P. Barton, Lt. W. E. Elkins; sitting—Lt. A. H. Lawder, Major E. C. J. L. Henniker (and Mike), Capt. K. B. Spurgin.

Officers and N.C.O.'s, left to right, front row, sitting—Lt. W. E. Ekins, Capt. K. B. Spurgin, Major E. C. J. L. Henniker (and Mike), Lt. A. H. Lawder, Lt. F. P. Barton, Lt. C. R. Dunsford. Second row, standing—S.S.M. J. A. Wren, Sgt. J. A. Green, Sgt. F. H. Simmonds, Sgt. G. Porter, Sgt. S. Hodson, Sgt. W. A. McClean, Sgt. T. Bourne, S.Q.M.S. N. Foster, Sgt. W. Black. Back row, standing—Sgt. J. C. Bailey, Lce-Cpl. H. R. Dodd, Cpl. J. W. Chrimes, Cpl. W. May, Cpl. O. W. Appeldorn, Lce.-Cpl. J. P. McNamara, Lce.-Cpl. F. W. Lamb, Cpl. J. F. Cassidy, Lce.-Cpl. J. K. Doney.

Officers and N.C.O.'s in illustration of squadron group, reading from left to right—S.S.M. J. A. Wren, Lt. F. P. Barton (and Terry), Lt. W. E. Ekins, Capt. K. B. Spurgin, Maj. E. C. J. L. Henniker, Lt. A. H. Lawder, Lt. C. R. Dunsford, S.Q.M.S. N. Foster.

Independent Squadron of the B.C. Horse Is at Full Strength



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Officers of the Fifth Regiment, Canadian Garrison Artillery

Photo by H. L. Pocock.

Those included in the above group are the present officers of the regiment. The names follow: Back row, left to right—Lieuts. Taylor, Havers, Blackwood, Clearihue, H. K. Robinson, A. C. V. Molesworth, M. A. Kent, V. Westwood. Second row—Lieut. A. E. Craddock, Capt. A. E. Robertson, Major H. H. Woolison, Lieut.-Col. R. Angus, Capt. C. W. Birch (Adjutant), Capt. A. E. Sargison, Lieut. T. B. Monk. Front row—Lieut. M. Scott, Lieut. Irwin, Lieut. Sutherland, Lieut. J. B. Denby.

Sgt.-Maj. McDougall and Sergeants of 5th Regiment, C.G.A.

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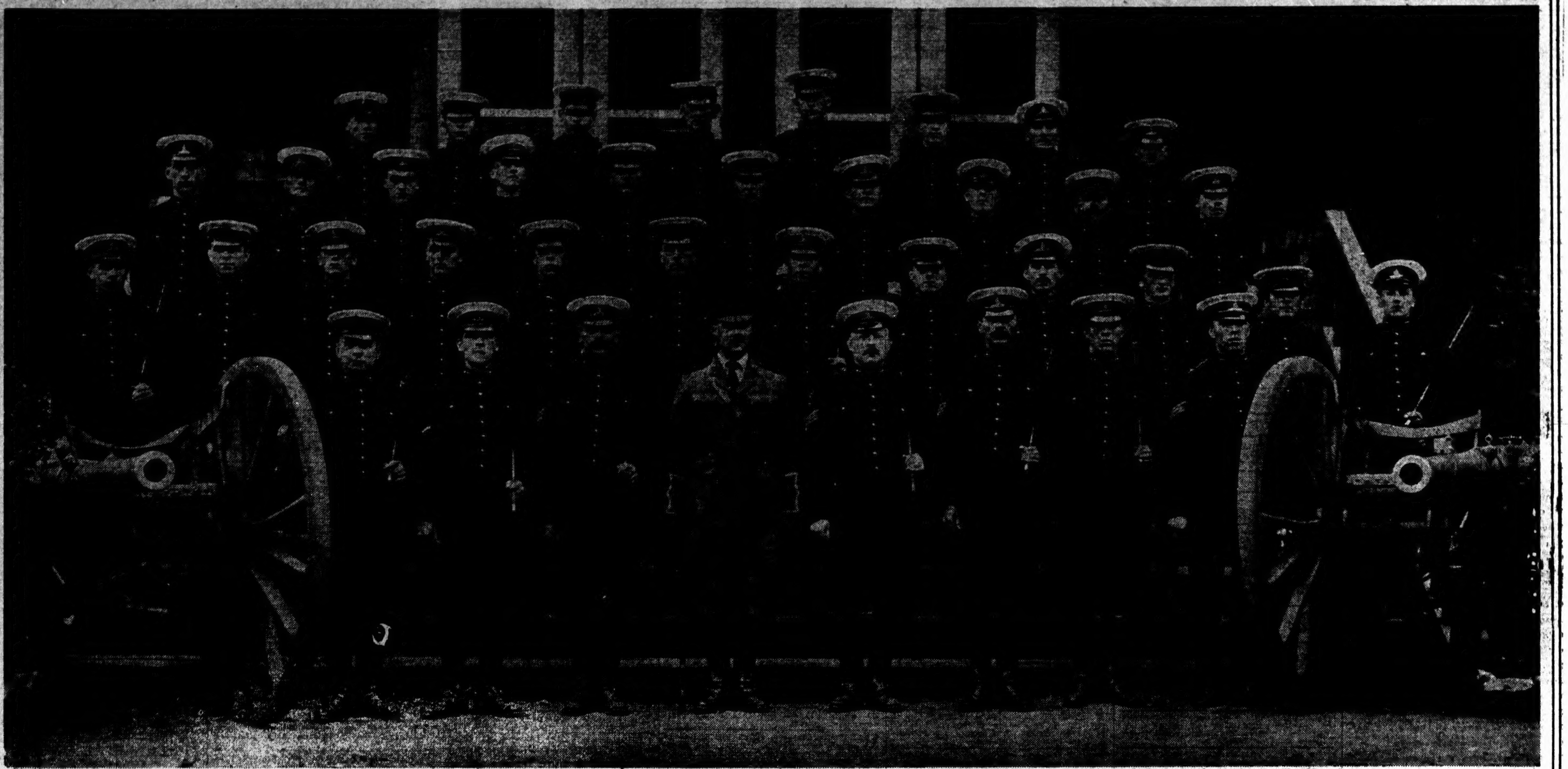
The names of the Sergeants, of which the above is a group picture, follow: Back row, left to right—Sgts. Llewellyn, Morris, Hutchinson, Richardson, Roberts, Freeman, Dennison, Raybone, Sig.-Sgt. Atwell, Sig.-Sgt. Fleury, C.Q.M.S. Spofford. Centre row—Sgts. Slackey, Cornall, F. Kroeger, Staden, W. Kroeger, Coupland, Hawkins, Smith, Bell, C.Q.M.S. Fenick, C.S.M. Connerton, Sgt. Morray. Front row—C.S.M. Swarbrich, Hos. Sgt. Carr, C.Q.M.S. O. F. Ross, Sgt. Clarke, R.Q.M.S. Caven, R.S.M. W. O. McDougall, C.Q.M.S. Lorimer, Pay Sgt. Hellyer, C.S.M. Doyle, Sgt. Thompson, Band Sgt. Smith.

Moveable Armament Corps of 5th Regiment Now in Camp



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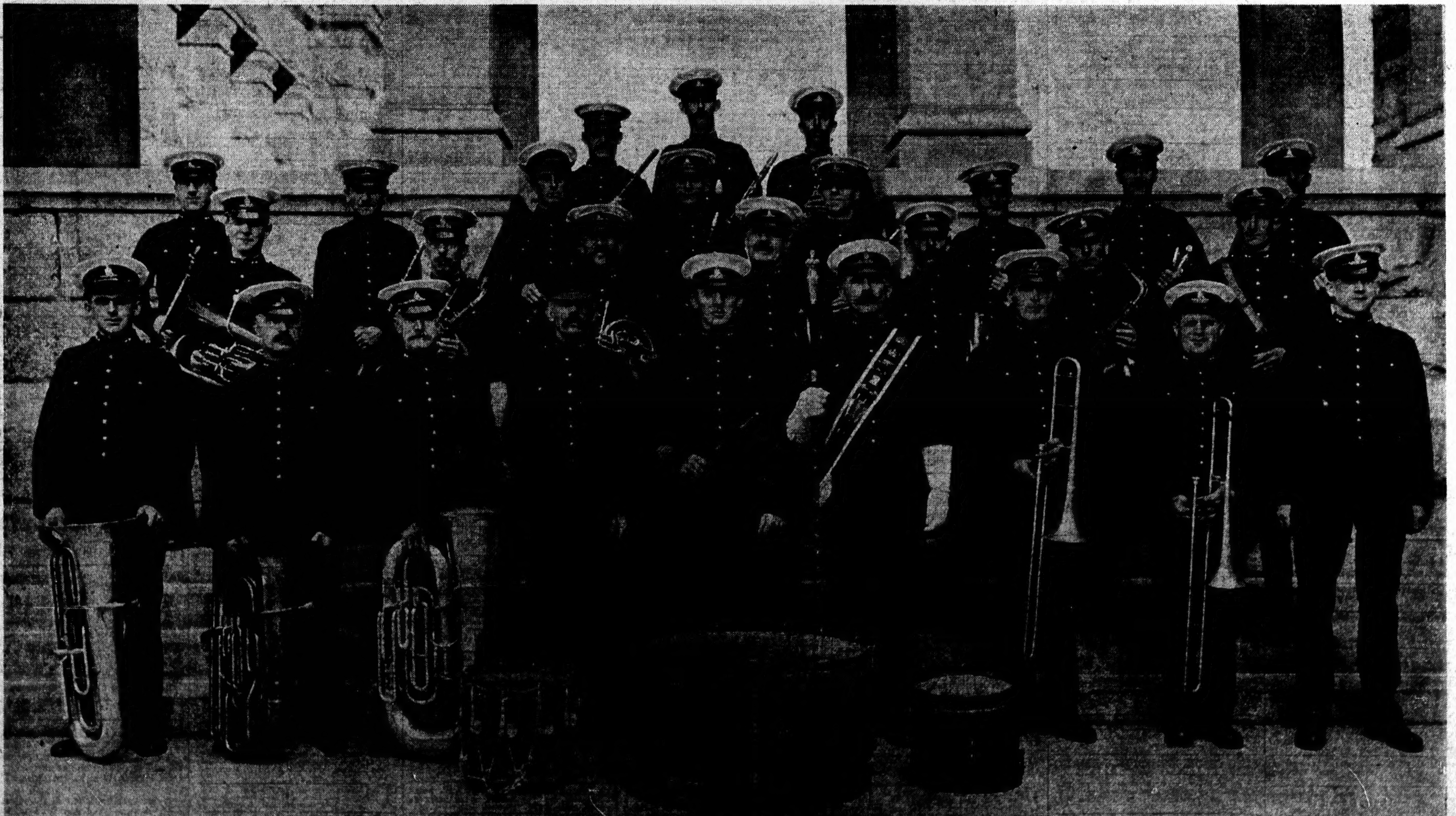
The above is a group picture of that part of the local artillery corps which has been quartered at the Willows Camp for some months. Lieut. T. B. Monk, who appears in the centre of the front rank, is in command. He has a battery of field guns and, through constant drill, has succeeded, with assistance of able N.C.O.'s, in bringing it to a high state of efficiency. This is the corps which led the march past on the occasion of H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught's inspection. Its appearance was commented on by the majority of those who witnessed the ceremony. With horses groomed to a nicety, harness heavily mounted with brass which was polished to the point where it reflected the sunlight, and guns similarly treated, it added to the impressiveness of a very spectacular "march past." His Royal Highness was especially congratulatory in his references to the armament corps, as he was also in speaking of the personnel of the batteries at Esquimalt and elsewhere. He picked out several of the men to enquire as to what profession or calling they followed in civilian life and afterwards complimented Lt.-Col. R. Angus on the splendid type of men wearing the uniform of the regiment.

Popular Band of Victoria, Musicians of 5th Regiment, C.G.A.



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This organization scarcely needs an introduction to Victorians, its concerts having long been musical events which have been thoroughly enjoyed by the public. Band Sergt. W. Smith is in the centre of the front rank. Near him are standing R.Q.M.S. Caven and C.Q.M.S. Hatcher. The full personnel follows: Back row, left to right—E. K. McAdam, Cpl. L. Willis, D. Rhodes; third row—J. Ord, E. Muriset, W. McGibbon, F. Wilmore, A. Greenwood, H. Wilmore, F. Saunders, D. Sheret; second row—W. Vinall, F. Ives, H. Ball, E. W. Vinall, S. Hickling, T. Beattie, J. Keyon; First row—A. Haggard, T. White, F. Billingsley, R.Q.M.S. Caven, Bandmaster W. J. Smith, Q.M.S. Hatcher, Drum Major W. Whittingham, C. Raine, and T. Watson.

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BEST acre, outskirts of city, only $1,500, half value; must sacrifice; best offer takes; terms. Owner, Box 78, City.

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WANTED to Rent—A piano; must be reasonable; state make and price per month. Box B, Colonist.

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FOR Rent—Up-to-date, fire-proof garage, 40 ft. x 100 ft., repair pit, etc. Fairly close in. Make excellent warehouse. Box 2918, Colonist.

SADDLE horse for lady and gentleman by day or half day, English or Mexican saddle. Phone 5215R. 1032 McClure Street. Horse can be seen at 460 Chester Street.

SMALL store, 1707 Cook Street, with living rooms connected, suitable for any business; rent reasonable. Apply 1054 Fisgard Street, or Phone 4415L.

TWO stores and house, Tillicum Road, corner Maddock, rent $20 month; 3-room cottage, bath, hot and cold water, $7, including water.

ROOM AND BOARD

A COMFORTABLE room with board near Government Buildings. 116 Menzies Street. Phone 443.

ABERDEEN, 941 McClure Street, special rates for officers and wives; comfortable; modern, new house, established twelve years, same management.

AT "The Oaks," 817 McLure Street—Quiet, comfortable, heated, winter home, running water in bedrooms; English cooking; liberal table; three minutes from centre of city. Phone 3907.

AT 813 Cook, large rooms, first class table, also table board by day or week. Phone 1068.

BURDETT House—Board residence for gentlemen only. 951 Burdett Ave.

COMFORTABLE home with English family; delightfully situated, facing sea; near car. 350 Sunrise Avenue, corner Beach Drive.

COMFORTABLE room and board, reasonable; close in. 615 Vancouver Street. Phone 3820X.

FIRST class board and room. 1315 Yates. Phone 5308L.

PLEASANT, comfortable room with good home table, within ten to fifteen minutes of post office. Phone 2039L.

PLEASANT rooms, board reasonable. 250 Government.

THE Gloucester, 1140 Fort Street, excellent home cooking; reduced terms. Phone 5002X.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

WITHIN 10 minutes' walk of Cedar Hill Cross Roads, comfortable room with board. Box 2733, Colonist.

FURNISHED ROOMS

AT 321 Michigan, furnished rooms. Phone 2414L.

BEDROOM, single $6, double $8 month; bath and phone; quiet, comfortable; 837 Broughton.

FURNISHED room, with kitchen privileges, ladies working out or married couple; reasonable; close in. Apply Box 1979, Colonist.

FURNISHED room, modern home, with light, heat and telephone. Phone 4340R.

HOTEL Ritz, bright, clean, outside rooms, hot and cold running water, steam heated, elevator and telephone service, from $10.00 per month.

LADY living alone wishes to hear of one or two ladies wishing to rent bedroom; use of kitchen for winter. Box 2945, Colonist.

LADY would let two rooms or share house; suit officers; near Willows Camp and car line. Box 2964, Colonist.

NICELY furnished rooms, with or without board, facing sea and near breakwater. Phone 4291L.

ONE room with bedroom off same or separate; reasonable. Phone 4623R.

SOLDIER'S wife would like couple to share 5-roomed bungalow, 10 minutes' walk from camp; rent $11; no objection to child; light and water free. Box 2965, Colonist.

WAVERLY Rooms—Central, private bath, telephone; $2.00 per week. 1409 Douglas Street.

585 GOVERNMENT Street, strictly modern rooms, telephone, central, block from Parliament Buildings.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

A LARGE bedroom, bath adjoining, open grate, in well furnished modern bungalow; nice locality, James Bay. Phone 5253R.

AT 524 Michigan Street, housekeeping rooms and kitchenette. Telephone 2414L.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 1701 Blanshard Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $1.00, suit bachelors. 822 Fort Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $6 up; 1138 Fort Street; phone 4697L.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms. 1024 Vancouver Street.

MOST comfortable housekeeping rooms, in well furnished private house, James Bay, 7 minutes P. O.; suit business ladies, $10, $12. Particulars The Ladies' Agency, Sayward Block, phone 2486; evenings 4097L.

NEAR Willows, two modern furnished rooms; phone; every convenience. Apply 2444 Florence Street.

PARTLY furnished modern flat (4), overlooking sea; gas; $16. 12 Boyd Street, James Bay.

THE Busy Bee, 1036 Hillside; one to nine housekeeping rooms. All conveniences.

TWO rooms to let—519 Penwell Street—$2.50 monthly.

TWO sunny housekeeping rooms partly furnished, all conveniences, eight dollars per month; close in. Box 2930, Colonist.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

ROOM wanted for lady and child of 7, somebody that will look after little girl after school hours; lady out all day in business. Box 2979, Colonist.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS

A FEW suites, furnished or unfurnished, at reduced rents; quiet neighborhood, close in. Savoy Mansions, corner Blanshard and McClure.

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APARTMENTS, new, three rooms, bathroom and pantry. Juno Street, Esquimalt, $8.00. Phone 3695L.

APARTMENTS—"The Field," for Winter; saves fuel, carfare; modern conveniences; low rentals.

A SUITE at "The Broadway," 442 Superior Street. Furnished or unfurnished.

AT Hampton Court, Cook and Leonard Streets, unfurnished suite of five rooms and maid's room.

AT Mount Edwards, Vancouver Street, furnished and unfurnished suites; large rooms, car fares saved; rents reduced; close in.

AT Le Roy Apartments, corner Monreal and Michigan, attractive three and five-roomed unfurnished suites; rent very reasonable.

CENTRAL Park Apartments, Queen's and Vancouver Streets; three-roomed suite for rent.

FIRST class spacious and sunny 5-room furnished flat; gas, linen, plate, Fairfield. Apply Arthur Coles, next Colonist.

FIVE rooms, furnished, modern. 1007 Collinson Street.

FURNISHED apartments, Beacon Hill Park; modern, reasonable. Phone R2866.

FURNISHED Flats, $25, $20, $5 month, light, water. 1026 Hillside; all conveniences.

FURNISHED flat, furnace heat, gas range, central. Phone 2466L.

LOWER floor of residence, 1017 Linden, between Fort and Rockland Avenue, consisting of five rooms completely furnished, piano included, fireplaces, etc.

MORRISON Mansions, Hilda and Chester, Fairfield, near Park, good suites, furnished or unfurnished.

MT. Douglas Apartments, Oak Bay Junction; comfortable modern suites, furnished or unfurnished, by the week or month. Apply Suite 9, Phone 579, or P. R. Brown, Agent.

MOUNT View, Joseph and Bushby, $10; furnished $14. Campbell's, 1007 Government Street.

OLYMPIC Apartments, 1120 May Street, facing park. Furnished apartments to rent, of 4 and 2 rooms, per week or monthly. Phone 3132.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

A DOUBLE house, South Turner Street, 6 rooms each; would make good rooming house, $20. Bagshawe & Co., Pemberton Building.

BUNGALOW—Nicely decorated 5 rooms, small lounge, hall, bath and pantry; moderate rent to good tenant; lawns back and front. Apply 404 B. C. Permanent Loan Bldg. Phone 1623.

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FIVE-ROOM modern bungalow, furnace, garage, stables, on 100 by 200-ft. lot, Grahame Street; high location, $15. Box 2812, Colonist.

FOR Rent—8-roomed fully modern house, furnace, $18.00; also two houses for $5 each. Apply Mrs. Low. Phone 1847R2.

HOUSES to let, furnished and unfurnished. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas.

HOUSE—$7.00. Lee & Fraser, opposite Colonist.

NEW modern bungalow, partly furnished, $10 per month. 1847 Crescent Road, Foul Bay.

NEW 7-room house to rent. 1127 Bay Street, $12.00 month.

SEVEN-ROOMED modern dwelling with furnace; Fisgard Street, near High School, twenty dollars. Phone 3881R.

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SIX rooms, modern, Oak Bay, near Municipal Hall, ¼-acre grounds, fruit trees. A choice home, $14; will give good lease. Large rental list. Inquire. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

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TO Let—Unfurnished eight-roomed house, fully modern. Apply 457 Quebec Street, or telephone 936L.

TO Rent for one year, unfurnished modern seven-roomed house, large grounds, garage for two autos; large garden and chicken run; half block from Parliament Buildings. Apply 447 Kingston Street. Phone 4636L.

UNFURNISHED eight-room modern bungalow, seven minutes from Foul Bay car terminus; furnace, three open fireplaces, tennis lawn and good garden; rent $25. Phone 2696.

3-ROOM house, half acre, out buildings, close in, $6. 68 Dupplin Road, end Douglas car.

4-ROOM new bungalow, close Tillicum Road and 5 minutes Gorge cars; modern every way, $10 monthly; also 6-room 2-storey house, good order, city water, 2 big lots, Rowland Ave., off Carey Road, 15 minutes from Douglas car, $6 month. Box 5000, Colonist.

6-ROOMED house, new, close in. Apply 1654 Burdett Avenue.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

A THREE-ROOMED cottage with bathroom, for two adults only; must be cheap. Box 2976, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent or Lease—An eight-roomed house, unfurnished, all modern conveniences, small grounds, not far from tram line. Box 2805, Colonist.

5-ROOMED bungalow, modern; must be cheap. Box 2873, Colonist

PERSONAL

WANTED for adoption—Girl between 1½ and 2 years; must be healthy and have red hair (auburn or golden); references required and given. Box 2832, Colonist.

WILL the party, who received one of the wheel chairs from the King's Daughters' rooms about the 31st March, please phone 2071L2.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

A BRIGHT, sunny, neat furnished cottage; adults. Phone 1732R.

A 5-ROOM modern bungalow, Hillside district, 3 rooms furnished, barn, garage, chicken houses; rent $10 monthly. Phone 5253R.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished bungalow, Oak Bay District. Phone 2967L.

BEAUTIFULLY furnished six-roomed house in Fairfield, including cutlery, linen, china, gas range, wood and coal range and furnace; a snap for somebody. Phone 3248L or Box 2987, Colonist.

CLEAN furnished 3 rooms, light, water, $15.00. 1351 Pandora Avenue. Phone 4703L.

CLOSE Fort street; well furnished bungalow; furnace; linen; $20. 1815 Duchess. Phone 3594R.

COMPLETELY furnished 5-room bungalow, piano, sewing machine, furnace, $18 per month to careful tenant; no children. P. O. Box 752.

FULLY furnished, comfortable six-room house, close in; 542 Montreal Street; rent $25 per month. Apply A. W. Bridgman, 1007 Government Street.

FURNISHED house, 5 rooms, off Foul Bay Road. Bright and comfortable. Piano, etc. Moderate rental. Stewart Land Co., Ltd., 101 Pemberton Block. Phone 1381.

SEVEN-ROOMED house, 5 rooms furnished, to rent, near Willows, $20 a month. Alfred Carmichael, Belmont House. Phone 5501.

SOLDIER'S wife would like couple to share five-roomed house, four minutes from car and High School. 1317 Pembroke Street, $10 monthly.

THREE-ROOM cottage, furnished complete; rent $12.50. 1842 Crescent Road. Phone 5182L.

TO Rent Cheap—Furnished or unfurnished, 5-roomed house, ¾-acre, 70 fruit trees. 1424 Hillside Avenue.

WELL furnished 6-roomed house, Oscar Street, including linen, china, cutlery and furnace. Phone 3248L.

4-ROOM modern house, $12 month. 1732 Second Street.

6-ROOMED furnished house, $10 a month, and board young man. Phone 4215L.

1244 DALLAS Road, 8 rooms, modern, furnished; low rent. Phone 3293R mornings.

WANT—FURNISHED HOUSES

SMALL furnished house, five or six rooms; rent must be low. Please give fullest particulars first letter and state rent. Box 2959, Colonist.

WANTED—By young married couple furnished cottage in Esquimalt, Craigflower District. Box 2039, Colonist.

WANTED—Furnished five-roomed house, Oak Bay or Willows; no children. Phone 1185L.

WANTED—5 or 6-roomed furnished house, central; low rent to careful tenant. Box 2896, Colonist.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

AUCTION Sale at Cowichan Station on Thursday September thirtieth, of the whole of the stock of the well known Ashby White Leghorn Poultry Farm (late E. T. Hanson Ranch), five hundred birds, Incubators, Petaluma Brooder, Stove, etc. A great opportunity to obtain breeders and young stock of this celebrated strain.

BEAUTIFUL singing canaries. 1350 Bay Street.

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FOR early egg production, 30 cross bred pullets, from selected good layers, 75c up. Matthews, Mt. Tolmie P.O. Inspection invited.

FOR Sale—First class Durham and Jersey cow, in calf, or will trade for fresh grade Jersey. Apply 936 Craigflower Road.

FOR Sale—Fresh and in calf cows. Apply W. Hutchenson, Burnside Hotel.

FOR Sale—Horse, buggy and harness, horse 5 years old, good driver and saddle. Box 2882, Colonist.

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FRESH Jersey cow, or will trade for beef cow. T. Boyles, Garden City, Marigold Road.

FOR Sale—Large Clumber Spaniel, exceptionally well broke, for all kinds of hunting; reason for selling, owner's disability to hunt. Apply Pichon & Lenfesty or Max Lohbrunner, 1245 Dominion Road.

LIME and Fertilizers—Agricultural lime $3.00 ton at kiln (bulk); building, $1.20 bbl. Fertilizer prices on application. A. D. Malet & Co., 403 Central Bldg. Phone 3235.

PULLETS for Sale—Buff Orpingtons, S. C. Rhode Island Red, Barred Plymouth Rocks, 5 to 6 months old. 239 Beechwood Ave. Tel. 1444R.

SNAP—Over 10 pairs' pigeons, $4.75 the lot. 626 Burnside.

WANTED—A driving horse for his keep. Box 2949, Colonist.

WANTED for board for winter, reliable hack for sidesaddle. Good care taken. Chaldecott, Colquitz P. O.

WANTED—Horses, 1,100 lbs. and over, must be cheap. Send particulars where and when to be seen, to Box 1958, Colonist.

WHITE Berkshire pigs for sale (small and large), also Indian Runner ducks and White Wyandotte cockerels, trapnested strain. Bradley Dyne, Somenos, B.C.

30 MAY hatched cockerels, weight up to 3 lbs., 50 cents each. Arthur Lowe, next door to Lake Hill P. O.

AUTOMOBILES

A FIVE or seven-passenger automobile for hire. Phone 1787R.

DETROIT Electric 4-passenger roadster; splendid condition; a snap. Wood Motor Co., 1019 Rockland Ave.

FORD Car, 5-passenger, 1914 or 1915 model; no junk; state cash price. Box 2934, Colonist.

FORD, in good condition, $150; Ford T, 5-passenger, $250; Ford T 14, 5-passenger, $400; Ford T 11 truck, $250. Cameron's Autos, 521 Superior Street, behind Parliament Buildings, James Bay.

FOR Sale—Two-passenger Hupmobile, in good repair; a big snap at $200. Metropolitan Garage, 721 View Street. Phone 3977.

FOR Sale—36-H.P. Chalmers, five-passenger, just painted and overhauled. Price $550. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.

FOR Sale—1912 five-passenger Overland, good order. Price $450. Plimley's, Johnson Street, City.

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GOOD prices paid for Prest-o-lite tanks at Thos. Plimley's.

IF you want to buy, sell or exchange a car, ring up H. A. Davis, 617 Vancouver Street. Phone 2983.

INDIAN in good running order, twin cylinder, back seat, etc., $125.00; easy terms to reliable party. Box 2730, Colonist.

INDIAN, two-speed, twin, side car, Presto light, tools, A1 condition; must sell. What offers? Box B, Colonist.

MOTORCYCLE with three-speed gear, side car with hood, glass wind shield; will sacrifice for $270, or trade for Ford car. Box 2990, Colonist.

OVERLAND Snap—1913 Overland, 5-passenger touring, shock absorbers, electric horn, electric side and tail lamps, electric dash lamp, 100 amp. hr. battery, all practically new non-skid tires, 8-day clock. This car is in perfect running order, and is an exceptional snap; terms. Apply Wood Motor Co., Ltd., 1019 Rockland. Phone 4900.

STODDARD Dayton, fully equipped; absolutely a sacrifice, at $350; owner leaving city. Casey & Eaton Garage, 923 Fort.

WANTED—Auto, Ford runabout preferred, in exchange for Westminster suburban real estate, unencumbered; close to electric railway. Box 2948, Colonist.

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1-TON truck, "chain drive"; 2-ton truck, "chain drive." Box 2972, Colonist.

30-H.P. Touring Car, perfect order, tires O. K., suitable for hire work, for Ford, 2 or 5-passenger. Arthur H. Dandridge, 1836 Oak Bay Avenue.

1914 FORD, just overhauled; splendid condition; will trade for 1912 or 1913. Wood Motor Co., 1019 Rockland Ave.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Small pony. Apply Parkdale bakery.

FOUND—Some money. Give full particulars to Box 2962, Colonist.

LOST—A lady's gold bracelet watch. Reward, 1112 Broad Street.

LOST—Blue English Setter; answers to name, "Keeno." Communicate Phone 4555L.

LOST—English bulldog, light brown color; anyone finding same will receive reward by returning to 1652 Finlayson Avenue. Anyone found harboring this dog will be prosecuted.

LOST—In Fairfield jitney, pair of glasses. Finder please return to Colonist Office.

LOST—Irish Setter dog, scar over left eye and growth on lower lip. Anyone found harboring same will be prosecuted. Phone 1716.

LOST on Moss or May Streets, between Oscar and Howe, solitaire diamond ring. Reward. Phone 3331.

LOST—Small red Cocker Spaniel; answers to name of Baby. Kindly return to Coach & Horses Hotel, Esquimalt, and receive reward.

ON Dallas Road, September 25th, girl's green wool sweater; reward. Phone 347.

RUBY King Charles Spaniel, on Saturday afternoon in Beacon Hill Park, name on collar. Comyns, 21 Rosetta Avenue. Finder bringing same to 649 Government Street will be rewarded.

WELL known British Bulldog, V. C. tag on collar, No. 570; medium brindle with white markings; suitable reward offered. Phone 4412R or return to W. H. S. Hatten, 287 Foul Bay Road.

WANT TO EXCHANGE

AT knock-down price, 10 rooms, furnished for housekeeping suites, modern, close to Central Park. Owner paid $6,700; will trade at $4,500 and take equity in vacant property. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

EXCHANGE acre, 2½-mile circle, small balance due spread over 1½ years, 6 per cent., for clear title lots. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad Street.

EXCHANGE equity ten-acre improved farm, eight-mile circle, good automobile. Box 2928, Colonist.

FIRST class furniture to exchange for launch or motorcycle. Box 2924, Colonist.

FOR Sale or exchange for smaller house, seven-room house on half-mile circle, convenient and modern, good locality; must assume small mortgage. Box 2819, Colonist.

HAVE horses to exchange for 5 or 7-passenger car in good condition. Box 2771, Colonist.

PROPERTY worries? It's hard to sell, but we can exchange to advantage. That's our business, and we're always at it. We help others—why not you? Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

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WOULD exchange Shetland Ponies for Jersey cow. Address Box 2895, Colonist.

1½ ACRES, all in fruit, nice 5-roomed bungalow, on 2½-mile circle, $6,000, to exchange for wild land on island close to railway. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

5 ROOMS, modern, chicken houses and stable, 1¼-mile circle, $2,500; will take vacant lot for equity; balance $15 monthly; no mortgage. Dunford's, 212 Union Bank.

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A REALLY first class rooming house (housekeeping); well furnished, twelve rooms, all rented; good profits; price very reasonable. Ladies' Agency, 526 Sayward Building. Phone 2486.

GOOD young business, reasonable, suit married couple, side line pays expenses; can show its worth, and give reasons. Address P. O. Box 842, City.

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WANTED—Gentleman with from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars to take an active interest in a long established industrial concern on the Coast. Full investigation and particulars given on application. Apply Box 592, Vancouver, B.C.

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LUXTON—14 acres cleared with house, $10 monthly. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government.

TO Lease—1 acre (with run of 4), house and outbuildings. Phone 2046.

TO Lease—7 acres, pasture, buildings, 3 miles out; two wells, $20. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas.

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TENDERS wanted for the digging of a well at Boy Horse Farm, Sidney. Tenders to be sent in at an early date to Bullen & Jamieson, Ltd., Temple Building, Victoria, B.C.

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All persons having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased, who died at Brandon, Man., on or about the 11th day of June, 1915, are hereby required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of September, 1915, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

Dated the 20th day of September, 1915.

COURTNEY & ELLIOTT,
P. O. Box 914, Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitors for the Executor.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

CONTRACTORS' PLANT

Thursday and Friday

Sept. 23 and 24, at 10:30 a.m.

Under and by virtue of certain writs of fieri facias, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, also certain warrants of execution, issued out of the County Court of Vancouver and Victoria, and to me directed, against the goods and chattels of W. S. McDonald, and also a distress warrant, directed to me by the Provincial Assessor and Collector of Vancouver, I have seized and taken possession of the contracting plant of the said W. S. McDonald, in and upon the Provincial Government Reserve, Superior Street, Victoria, and I have seized and distrained the contracting plant of the said W. S. McDonald, in and upon the premises, No. 650, Montreal Street, consisting of: High Power Air Compressor, Electric Motors, Electric Travelling Crane, Stone Trolly, Stone Surfacing Machine, Concrete Mixer, Rotary Stone Crusher, Tool Sharpening Plant, Forges, Anvils, Drilling Machine, 2 fully equipped Stone Saw Plants, quantity of Chisels, Air Drills, Office Furniture, Safe, Buildings, etc., and will offer the same for sale at Public Auction, on the premises, commencing at the office, Superior Street, on Thursday, September 23, at 10:30 a.m.

Terms of sale, cash.

F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C.,
September 17, 1915.

The above sale is postponed until Monday, September 27, and Tuesday, September 28, at the same hour and place.

Synopsis of Coal Mining Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5, which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined, and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—58782.

APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF CITY SOLICITOR

Accompanied by testimonials, references, etc., will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 27th instant, at 12 o'clock noon. Salary at the rate of $300.00 per month.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 14th, 1915.

FOR SALE BY TENDER

Tenders are invited for purchase, on easy terms, of lot, 50 x 120, with 5-roomed house, No. 1485 Finlayson St., near Cedar Hill Road; also for lot, 50 x 129, with 5-roomed house with basement, No. 2713 Avebury St.

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C. W. PETTINAN,
2713 Avebury St.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R.S.C., CHAPTER 115

The Imperial Oil Company, Limited, hereby gives notice that it has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Esquimalt at Victoria, B.C., a description of the site and the plans of the wharf proposed to be built in the entrance to Victoria Harbour at McLoughlin Point, in front of Lots 1 and 2 of Section 11, Block 23, Viewfield Farm, Esquimalt District.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Imperial Oil Company will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works, at his office in the City of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said wharf.

Dated at Vancouver, B.C., this 10th day of September, 1915.

THE IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY, Ltd.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of Andrew Kennedy, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Administration Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Macdonald, dated 21st day of September, A.D. 1915, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 21st day of October, A.D. 1915, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 23rd day of September, 1915.

WILLIAM MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Auction Sale of Household Furniture and Effects

The undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at 607 Esquimalt Road (Victoria West

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RAILWAYS MAKE SUBSTANTIAL GAINS

Short Session Proved Unusually Busy — Investment Shares Are in Great Demand —Canadian Pacific Advance

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Free absorption of investment shares, chiefly the high class railways on the largest scale witnessed in many weeks, was the distinguishing feature of today's two-hour session in which transactions approximated 600,000 shares, or on the basis of 1,500,000 shares for a full day. Gains in the railways were of a substantial character, Pennsylvania, the most active stock of its class, advancing 2⅝ to 114, while Canadian Pacific, the Harrimans, New York Central, and Baltimore & Ohio gained 1 to 2 points.

Inquiry for the railways seemed to derive its chief impulse from banking quarters, but commission houses with Western connections also reported an increased demand from speculative quarters.

Baldwin Locomotive gained 2⅝ to a new high of 95¾, while Lackawanna Steel, up to 79, and Texas Central, up 3½, to 165½, also surpassed all previous quotations. Bethlehem Steel and a few of the other war shares made slight improvement on small dealings, but Bethlehem Steel preferred declined 1⅝, to 170, and some of the less prominent industrials fell away moderately. United States Steel was less active than usual, but showed underlying strength. Most of the motor issues showed the continued efforts of realizing sales, but General Motors retained virtually all of its 6 point advance to 345.

The bank statement furnished a genuine surprise, in that the estimated large cash gain proved to be an actual loss of almost $13,000,000; reserves decreasing by over $22,000,000, and reducing the excess reserve from last week's unprecedented total of $220,000,000 to $198,000,000.

General news of the day included the Atchison statement for August, showing a net gain of $232,000, and the reviews of the mercantile agencies, which reported a general expansion of trade.

Bonds were strong with total sales (par value) at $2,900,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call during the week.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska Gold	32¾	32½	32½
Allis-Chalmers	42½	42⅛	42¼
do pfd.	72¼	72	71
Amn. Coal Pdts.	152⅝	150⅜	151
Amn. Agr. Chemical	..	..	62¼
Amn. Beet Sugar	66¼	64	64½
Amn. Can.	62½	61⅛	61¾
Amn. Car and Fdy.	76⅝	75⅜	75¼
Amn. Cotton Oil	..	..	50¼
Amn. Woolen	54	52¼	53
Amn. Locomotive	62½	60⅜	61½
Amn. Smelting	88⅛	87⅛	87⅜
Amn. Sugar	109	108⅜	109
Amn. Tel. and Tel.	125¼	125	125¼
Anaconda	73⅝	72¼	72⅞
Atchison	104½	103⅝	104⅜
Balto. and Ohio	89	88¼	88⅜
Bethlehem Steel	355	353	355
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	85⅜	85	84⅞
C. P. R.	153½	162	162
Cal. Petroleum	21¼	20⅝	20½
Central Leather	51	48⅞	50⅞
Ches. and Ohio	51½	51	51⅝
C. and G. W.	13⅛	12⅞	12⅝
do pfd.	33½	33⅛	33
C. M. and St. Paul	87⅞	87⅛	87
Colo. Fuel and Iron	55⅝	54⅞	55
Crucible Steel	96⅝	95⅛	95⅜
Con. Gas.	130¼	127¼	129⅜
Distillers Sec.	27⅝	24⅜	27⅜
Erie	32½	31⅞	32⅜
do 1st pfd.	53⅛	52½	52⅞
do 2nd pfd.	41⅜	41⅛	41½
Genl. Motors	345	340	344
Goodrich	70⅜	69½	69⅜
Great Northern pfd.	122	121½	121⅜
do Ore. ctfs.	45½	44⅝	44⅞
Guggenheim	66⅝	65½	66
Illinois Cent.	107	104½	106¼
Inter-Metropolitan	21¼	20⅜	21
do pfd.	..	..	76
Inter. Harvester	..	..	106½
Kas. City Southern	28⅜	27½	28
Louis and Nash.	122	121	122
Lehigh Valley	146⅜	145⅞	146
N. Y. Air Brake	157	156	157
Maxwell Motor	53⅜	52½	52½
Mex. Petroleum	92	90¼	90⅜
Willys-Overland	..	..	213
M.S.P. and S.S.M.	..	..	121⅜
M. K. and T.	6¼	5⅛	5⅝
do pfd.	12	10⅜	11½
Mo. Pacific	4⅜	4⅛	4⅛
Nat. Biscuit	..	..	121½
Nat. Lead	66½	65⅜	65⅞
Nevada Cons.	14⅜	14⅛	14⅛
New Haven	69⅜	68⅜	68⅜
N. Y. Central	97⅜	96½	97½
N. Y. O. and W.	29½	29	29¼
Norfolk and West.	115⅞	115	115½
Northern Pacific	111⅞	111¼	111⅜
Pacific Mail	31⅛	31	32½
Pennsylvania	114	112½	113½
People's Gas	..	..	117½
Pittsburg Coal	35¼	34½	34½
do pfd.	..	..	102
Pressed Steel Car	64⅜	64¼	64½
Railway Steel Spg.	42	41⅛	41
Reading	154½	153⅞	154
Rep. Iron and Steel	47⅛	47	47
do pfd.	101⅜	101⅛	101¼
Sloss Sheffield	..	..	50
Southern Pac.	94	93	93⅜
Sou. Railway	19⅞	17⅛	19⅛
do pfd.	57	55	56½
Studebaker Corpn.	140½	138⅞	139⅜
Tenn. Copper	59⅛	57⅛	57⅜
Texas Pacific	12½	12	12¼
Twin City	..	..	92
Union Pacific	134½	133⅜	134
do pfd.	82	81	81¼
U. S. Rubber	52⅜	52⅛	52⅜
do 1st pfd.	106⅜	106⅛	106½
U. S. Realty	..	..	20
U. S. Steel	78⅜	78⅛	78⅛
do pfd.	114⅞	114⅛	114⅜
Utah Copper	68⅜	67⅛	67⅜
Va. Car. Chemical	39⅞	39⅛	39¼
do pfd.	..	..	109½
Western Union	77¼	77	77
Westinghouse	121⅞	120⅜	121¼
Wisconsin Central	..	..	31
Granby (Boston)	85⅜	85	85
Baldwin Loco.	95⅝	93⅞	95¼

Total sales—598,500 shares.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, Sept. 25.—The grain market was entirely under the weather influence, and at the opening was active and values all were higher. November wheat opened late at ⅛c lower. Heavy rains occurred practically all over the Canadian Prairies, and the prevailing sentiment in the early hours was bullish. At about 11 o'clock, prices of wheat were around yesterday's close, the decline being caused by a forecast of clearing weather and heavy receipts, 1,700 cars being in sight for inspection today. Wheat closed ⅞c to 1⅛c lower. Oats opened ⅛c higher and closed unchanged to ½c higher. Flax opened ½c higher and closed 2c to 3c higher. The demand for cash grains was excellent. Wheat of all grades was wanted, and oats was in keen request, offerings being light. Exporters and millers were keen buyers.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Oct.	91	88⅝
Nov.	89½	88⅜
Dec.	90	88
May	95½	93⅜
Oats—		
Oct.	37⅝	37⅜
Dec.	35⅛	34⅝
Barley—		
Sept.	..	56
Oct.	51	51¼
Flax—		
Oct.	157½	155
Nov.	..	156
Dec.	156⅜	154½

Cash prices were as follows: Wheat—1 Nor., 94; 2 Nor., 92; 3 Nor., 90½; No. 4, 83½; No. 5, 78¾; No. 1 rejected seed, 88½; No. 2 rejected seed, 86½; No. 3 rejected seed, 84½; No. 1 tough, 88½; No. 2 tough, 86½; No. 3 tough, 84½; No. 1 smutty, 86½; No. 2 smutty, 80½.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 42; No. 3 C. W., 40; extra 1 feed, 39; No. 1 feed, 38; No. 2 feed, 37.

Flax—No. 1 C. W., 154½ No. 2 C. W., 151½.

Barley—No. 3, 55; No. 4, 50; rejected, 45; feed, 45.

In the Mater of the Estate of John Sinclair, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the above deceased, who died at Victoria, B. C., on or about the 25th day of July, 1915, are hereby required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of October, 1915, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Dated the 7th day of September, 1915.

E. E. WOOTTON,
Of the Bank of Montreal Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for the Executors.

BRISK MARKET BUSINESS

Good Attendance and Wide Range of Products Are on Sale

Every stall was taken at yesterday's public market, and the display of products was an excellent one. Business was brisk during the early portion of the session, and prices generally held firm with a tendency to a slightly lower level in some lines. Prices ruled at the following average figures:

Fruits—Apples, No. 1, $1.15 per box; No. 2, 75c; crabapples, 3c per lb.; strawberries, two boxes for 25c.

Dairy Products—Butter, 40c.; eggs, 45c to 50c per dozen.

Vegetables—Carrots, 3 bunches for 5c; beets, 2 for 5c; leeks, 2 for 5c; parsnips, 5c per bunch; celery, 2 for 5c; cabbage, 1c per lb.; cauliflower, 3 for 5c; vegetable marrows, 5c each; turnips, 7 for 5c; dry onions, 15 lbs. for 25c; tomatoes, 4c per lb.

Meats—Venison, 15c to 25c per lb.; lamb, 15c to 20c per lb.; veal, 12½c to 20c per lb.; pork, 14c to 17c per lb.; beef, 10c to 20c per lb.; fowl, 15c per lb.; milk fed, 10c per lb.; broilers, 20c per lb.; milk fed, 25c per lb; ducks, 10 weeks old, 25c per lb.

Fish—Cod, 7 to 10c per lb.; salmon, 10c per lb; smelts, 10c per lb.; herring, 3 lbs. for 25c; smoked salmon, 15c per lb.; kippers, 12c per lb.; bloaters, 10c per lb.; crabs, 10c each; shrimps, 20c per lb.

AT THE CITY CHURCHES

ANGLICAN

Christ Church Cathedral

Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 2:45 p.m.; Children's Service, 3:30 p.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Wednesday, St. Michael and All Angels': Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Special Intercession Service, 8:15 p.m. Thursday, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.

St. John's

Quadra Street, corner of Mason. Rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible Classes, 2:30 p.m.; Evening Prayer and sermon, 7:30 p.m.

St. James'

Corner of Quebec and St. John's Streets. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy Communion, 8a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 2:30; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Harvest Thanksgiving Services will be held (D.V.) on Thursday, September 30. Matins, with celebration of the Holy Communion, at 10, full Choral Service, with sermon, at 8 p.m. Preacher, Rev. H. S. Andrews, rector of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

St. Barnabas

Corner of Cook Street and Caledonia Avenue. Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m.; Matins, 10:30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist and sermon, 11 a.m.; Choral Evensong, 7 p.m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free. There will be a special Intercession Service for the men at the front on Wednesday at 8 p.m.

St. Mary's

Burns Street, Oak Bay. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Military Parade Service, 9:30 a.m.; Matins, Litany and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.; Holy Baptism, 4 p.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Rev. G. H. Andrews, M.A., rector.

St. Mark's

Boleskine Road, Rev. J. W. Flinton, vicar. Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 3 p.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Intercession for our soldiers and sailors on Tuesday and Friday at 7:45 p.m. Bible study on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Wednesday being the Festival of St. Michael and All Angels, there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 8:30 p.m.

St. Saviour's

Victoria West, Rev. Robert Connell, rector. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Litany, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.; Evening Prayer and Intercession, 7 p.m. Preacher, Rev. J. Newton Sykes, B.A., of North Vancouver.

St. Paul's

Royal Naval Station and Garrison Church, Esquimalt. Rector, Rev. W. Baugh Allen. Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m.

Oaklands Mission

Evening Prayer and sermon, 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 3 p.m.; Holy Communion, 9 a.m.

Royal Jubilee Hospital

Services in Memorial Chapel. Monthly early celebration of Holy Communion, 8 a.m., followed by the regular service of Morning Prayer with sermon at 10 a.m., Nurses, patients, members of the hospital staff, as well as the general public, cordially invited to these services.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord

Corner Blanshard and Humboldt Streets, Rev. A. de B. Owen, rector. 11 a.m. subject, "Peter's Larger Vision"; evening service 7 o'clock, subject, 'Elisha Commencing His Work." Sunday School Rally Day, 2:30 p.m. Mid-week service, Intercession, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

CATHOLIC

St. Andrew's Cathedral

Corner of Blanshard and View. Low Masses, with five minutes' sermon, at 8 and 9:30. High Mass and sermon at 11. Evening service, sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 7:30.

METHODIST

James Bay

Corner Michigan and Menzies Streets, Rev. F. N. Stapitford, M.A., B.D., pastor. 11 a.m., Children's Service; theme, "The Joy of Service." 2:30 p.m., Sunday School and Adult Bible Classes; 7:30 p.m. "The Contagion of Character." Monday, 8 p.m., a social will be given under the auspices of the Epworth League, Friday, 4 p.m., Junior League.

Wesley

McPherson Avenue, Victoria West., Rev. S. J. Thompson, Pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School and Adult Bible Classes at 2:30 p.m. Special Rally Day exercises, with programme by the scholars. The pastor will preach on the subject, "What Is Your Boy Worth?" in the morning; "The Sunday School as a Factor in National Life," in the evening. On Monday the Epworth League will have a patriotic service, when Lieut. Clearihue will speak on "After the War, What?" Thursday evening, prayer meeting at 8 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN

First

Corner Quadra and Fisgard Streets, minister, Rev. John Gibson Inkster, B.A. The minister will preach at both services. Subject at 11 a.m., "Jehovah and the Huns"; 7:30 p.m., "What Do You Think of Christ?"

Gorge

Corner Tillicum Road and Walter Avenue. Sunday School, 3 p.m.

Knox

2025 Stanley Avenue. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Bible Class at 9:45 a.m.; Sunday School at 2:30 p.m. Young people's meeting on Monday at 8 p.m. Prayer service on Thursday at 8 p.m. Rev. Joseph McCoy, M.A., minister.

Hollywood

Foul Bay. Rally Day service at 2:30 p.m., addresses by Dr. Clay. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. S. Lundie.

BAPTIST

First

Dominion Theatre building, Rev. John B. Warnicker, B.A., pastor. Morning sermon, "Harmony in Environment.' In the evening a special sermon on "The Comrade in White—Is He a Myth or a Reality?" Rally Day session of the Sunday School at 2:30 p.m., with addresses by Lieut. Clearihue and W. Marchant. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p.m. Sunday School and mid-week meetings in old church building, corner Yates and Quadra Streets.

Emmanuel

Corner Fernwood Road and Gladstone Avenue, Rev. William Stevenson, pastor. Sunday School Rally Day. Morning at 11 o'clock, "The Worth of the Sunday School." Children's talk, 'The Whispered Word." Evening, 7:30 o'clock, "The Great Sea of the Setting Sun." Sunday School Rally, 2:30 p.m. Special hymns, music and addresses. Monday, Young People's Society, 8 p.m. Thursday, prayer meeting, 8 p.m.

Tabernacle

Rev. Robert Cameron, D.D., pastor. 11 a.m. subject, "The Loss of the Children"; 7:30 p.m., "Early Conversions"; 2:30 p.m., Bible School Rally Day. B. Y. P. U., Monday, 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible study, Thursday, 8 p.m.

UNITARIAN

First

Corner Fernwood Road and Fisgard Street. Service at 11 a.m. Preacher, Rev. H. E. B. Speight, M.A. Subject, "The Great Discovery."

CONGREGATIONAL

First

Corner Quadra and Mason Streets, Rev. Charles A. Sykes, B.D., pastor. Sunday School, Ladies' Bible Class and Men's Own Class, 2:30 p.m. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Pastor will preach at both services. Morning subject: "What Do People Go to Church For?" Evening subject: "A Mighty Deed of Renown." Monday, 8 p.m., Christian Endeavor Society. Thursday, 8 p.m., mid-week prayer meeting. Friday, 8 p.m., choir practice.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist

935 Pandora Avenue. Service at 11 a.m. Testimonial meeting every Wednesday at 8 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS

Progressive Thought Temple, corner Pandora and Blanshard Streets. Dr. T. W. Butler will speak at 11 a.m., subject, "Man's Divine Heritage"; 8 p.m. subject, "Healing Means and Methods," with demonstrations.

The Psychic Research Society will hold services at their hall, 719 Courtney Street, at 3 p.m.; conference and message work at 8 p.m. Mrs. Nevers of Tacoma will lecture on "Reincarnation and the Effects of Control." Psychic messages at the close.

The Divine Psychic Society, 737 Herald Street, the pastor, Mrs. L. Reese, B.D., will hold divine service at 7:30 p.m. The pastor will speak of the true meaning of the Hindu philosophy. Soul messages after the lecture from flowers.

The Children's Progressive Lyceum will have an open session on Sunday at the A. O. F. hall, Broad Street, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Nevers of Tacoma will address the children.

A bright service is held in the Strangers' Rest, corner of Government and Pandora, at 7:30 p.m.

LOCAL MARKETS

Vegetables			
Beets, 3 bunches			.10
Cabbage, lb.			.02½
Carrots, 3 bunches			.05
Celery, Okan., bunch			.05
Citron, lb.			.04
Corn, green, dozen			.15
Cucumbers, H. H., each	.05	and	.10
Egg Plant, lb.			.15
Lettuce, local, head			.05
Marrows, lb.			.04
Melons, Casaba			.25
Onions, Green, 3 bndls			.10
Onions, dry, 14 lbs.			.25
Parsley, bunch			.05
Peppers, lb.	.25	and	.30
Potatoes, River, sack			.75
Potatoes, local, sack			.90
Pumpkin, lb.			.03
Turnips, 15 lbs.			.25
Tomatoes, local H.H., 4lb	.15	and	.20
Watercress, bunch			.05
Watermelons, each	.20	and	.35
Fruits			
Apples, local, 8 lbs.			.25
Apples, box	1.00	to	1.25
Bananas, doz.			.30
Canteloupes, Cal., each	.10	and	.15
Grapes, Malaga, bskt			.60
Grapes, local, H.H., bskt.			.50
Grapefruit, Cal., basket			.35
Grapefruit, Cal., lower grade, 3 for			.25
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.25	and	.30
Oranges, Valencia, dozen	.30, .40	and	.50
Peaches, crate			1.00
Pears, Bartlett, l'ge bskt.			.35
Plums, basket			.30
Plums, Cal., bskt.	.25, .40	and	.50
Prunes, crate			65
Sugar			
B. C. Granulated, 20 lbs.			1.60
B. C. Granulated, 100 lbs.			7.65
Dairy Produce and Eggs			
Butter—			
Comox, lb.			.45
Cowichan Creamery, lb.			.50
Eastern Creamery, lb.			.35
Northwest Creamery, lb.			.50
Cheese—			
Canadian, lb.			.25
Canadian Stilton, lb.			.30
English Stilton, lb.			.40
Eggs, local, dozen			.45
Feed			
Barley, 100 lbs.			2.10
Barley, ground, 100 lbs.			2.10
Bran, 100 lbs.			1.70
Corn, 100 lbs.			2.10
Corn, cracked, 100 lbs.			2.25
Oats, 100 lbs.			1.60
Oats, crushed, 100 lbs.			1.75
Shorts, 100 lbs.			1.80

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Under and by virtue of a landlord's distress warrant to me directed, I have seized and taken possession of goods and chattels in and upon the premises of the Tourist Hotel (T. Garvin, prop.) situate on the corner of Johnson and Broad Streets, with the exception of such goods and chattels as belong to guests or employees (lists of same may be seen at my office), and shall offer same for sale by public auction on Thursday, the 30th day of September, at 2:30 p.m., 1915. For further information, apply at my office, 8th floor, B.C. Permanent Loan Building.

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City Market Auction

AUTUMN SALE OF

Fine Jersey Dairy Cattle and Hogs

Instructed by **John S. Young**, who is disposing of his dairy business, we will sell by Public Auction

Thursday, Sept. 30

2 p.m.

1 Grade Jersey Cow, 6 years, bred 2 months; 1 Jersey Cow, bred 4 months; 1 Jersey Cow, bred 5 months; 1 registered Jersey heiress to Tecapuna, imported from Ontario, bred 4 months; 1 Jersey Heifer, 3 years, bred 4 months; 1 Jersey Cow, bred 2 months; 1 Durham Cow, 1 registered Holstein Bull, 4 years; 1 black and white Sow, 1 Yorkshire Sow, 1 Berkshire Sow, 1 thoroughbred Berkshire Sow, mother first prize winner; all sows bred from 8 to 10 weeks.

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Duly instructed by Mr. F. Kroeger, who is retiring from the retail business, on account of his boy's going to the front, but will continue his repair and order work, will sell by Public Auction at his store, 1109 Fort Street, just above Cook Street, on

Wednesday, Sept. 29

At 2 o'clock, the whole of his

Stock of Chairs, Furniture

etc., including:

Very fine large Davenport, ready for the cover; about 20 English Willow Lounge Chairs, some upholstered; large Mahogany and other Arm Chairs, many of these are of unique design; Hepplewhite Mahogany Drawing Room Suite, 6 very handsome and heavy Oak Dining Room Chairs, upholstered in Solid Leather; Louis XV. Settee, a quantity of good Dining Room Chairs, and other articles too numerous to mention.

The stock can be inspected at any time.

The Auctioneer — **Stewart Williams.**

Auction Sale

Instructed by Arthur Hallam, 1759 Hampshire Road, Oak Bay, we will sell by Public Auction,

Wednesday, Sept. 29

2 p.m., the

Contents of His House

as follows:

Good Range, new Home Sewing Machine, Rockers, Dining Chairs, Beds, Dressers, Stands, Dining and Kitchen Tables, Buffet, Heater, Upholstered Arm Chair, Wicker Chair, Carpet, Bed Lounge, Dishes and Kitchen Utensils, Garden and Carpenter's Tools, Lawn Mower, Hose, etc.

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MESSRS.
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Duly instructed by Mrs. Laing will sell by Public Auction at her residence, 553 Simcoe Street, corner of Clarence Street, on

Tuesday, Sept. 28

At 2 o'clock, the whole of her well-kept

Household Furniture and Effects

Including:

Drawing Room—Very fine Ebony Cabinet, with Bevelled British Plate Glass Mirrors; handsome Ebony Drawing Room Suite, consisting of Lady's and Gentleman's Arm Chairs, 3 small Chairs, Sofa, Centre Table to match, Overmantel to match, Piano by Henry Ward, of London, England; Velvet Portieres, Ornaments, Pictures, Curtains, Blinds, Carpet, etc.

Dining Room—Mission Oak Extension Table, 6 Mission Oak Diners, Oak Barometer, Wicker Table, Wicker Chairs, Butler's Tray, Gas Heater, Hand Cinematograph, Singer Hand Sewing Machine, Plants, Occasional Tables, Stools, Ornaments, Pictures, Carpet, Electroplated Egg Stand, Lemon Squeezer, Tantalus, Electro-plated Fruit Stand, Electro-plated Sugar Basin, Tankard, Part Dinner Service, Glassware, Cheese Dish, Decanters, Flower Vase, Old Cut Glass Goblet, Cut Glass Wine Glasses, Berry Sets, etc.

Kitchen—"Buck" Range, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, Kitchen Chairs, Brooms, Carpet Sweeper, Coal Scuttles, Linoleum, etc.

Bedrooms—Single Iron Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses; Bureaus and Washstands, Chairs, Toilet Ware, Handsome Double Brass and Iron Bedstead, Spring and Horse Hair Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Croquet Set and other goods too numerous to mention.

On view Monday, September 27. Take the Beacon Hill car to Simcoe Street.

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Have been instructed by Mrs. Salt to sell by Public Auction at 2532 Government Street, City, on

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Tuesday, Sept. 28, 2 p.m.

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Inferior Paint is not cheap at any price. The Paint in this stock is the best that can be produced from Pure Linseed Oil and White Lead. Note the saving you can make in buying while this stock is being sold.

Paints, 1 gal., reg. $3.00, for	$1.40
Paints, ½ gal., reg. $1.50, for	75¢
Paints, ¼ gal., reg. 75c, for	38¢
Paints, pints, reg. 40c, for	20¢
Paints, ½ pints, reg. 25c, for	13¢
Floor Paints, 1 gal., reg. $2.75, for	$1.30
Floor Paints, ½ gal., reg. $1.50, for	75¢
Floor Paints, ¼ gal., reg. 75c, for	38¢
Liquid Filler, 1 gal., reg. $2.00, for	$1.24
Liquid Filler, 1 gal., reg. $1.00, for	72¢
Liquid Filler, 1 gal., reg. 60c, for	40¢
Pure Colors in Oil, in 12½-lb. tins, reg. 20c per pound, for	12¢
Pure Colors in Oil, 1-lb. tins, reg. 75c, for	45¢
Pure Colors in Oil, 1-lb. tins, reg. 35c, for	19¢
Pure Colors in Japan, reg. 85c, for	54¢
Pure Colors in Japan, reg. 75c, for	45¢
Pure Colors in Japan, reg. 35c, for	19¢
Oil Stains for interior work, 1 gal., reg. $2.25, for	$1.48
Oil Stains for interior work, ½ gal., $1.15 for	80¢
Oil Stains for interior work, ¼ gal., 60c, for	40¢
Oil Stains for interior work, pints, reg. 35c, for	22¢
Varnish Stains, quarts, reg. 90c, for	50¢
Varnish Stains, pints, reg. 50c, for	30¢
Varnish Stains, ½ pints, reg. 30c, for	18¢
Universal Varnish, gals., reg. $4.50, for	$2.70
White Damar Varnish, gal., reg. $3.00, for	$2.00
White Damar Varnish, ½ gal., reg. $1.75, for	$1.05
No. 1 Carriage Varnish, 1 gal., reg. $2.25, for	$1.40
Paint Removal, 1 gal., reg. $3.25, for	$2.05
Paint Removal, ½ gal., reg. $1.75, for	$1.05
Pure Asphaltum, 1 gal., reg. $1.50, for	90¢
Hard Oil Finish, 1 gal., reg. $2.25, for	$1.22
Hard Oil Finish, ½ gal., reg. $1.25, for	70¢
Black Japan Varnish, 1 gal., reg. $1.50, for	90¢
Black Japan Varnish, ½ gal., reg. 75c, for	45¢
Carriage Paint, quarts, reg. 90c, for	54¢
Carriage Paints, pints, reg. 60c, for	30¢
Carriage Paints, ½ pints, reg. 30c, for	18¢
Wagon Paints, quarts, reg. 60c, for	38¢
Wagon Paints, pints, reg. 40c, for	22¢
Pine Tar, quarts, reg. 25c, for	14¢
Pine Tar, pints, reg. 15c, for	9¢
Alabastine, reg. 50c, for	28¢
Kalsomine Brushes, reg. $7.00, for	$4.50
Kalsomine Brushes, reg. $6.00, for	$3.10
Kalsomine Brushes, reg. $1.25, for	68¢
Kalsomine Brushes, reg. $1.00, for	58¢
Paper Hangers, reg. $1.00, for	55¢
Wall Paint Brushes, reg. $1.75, for	98¢
Wall Paint Brushes, reg. $2.00, for	$1.15
Wall Paint Brushes, reg. $1.15, for	65¢
Wall Paint Brushes, reg. 50c, for	28¢
Wall Paint Brushes, reg. 30c, for	14¢
Varnish Brushes, reg. 50c, for	24¢
Varnish Brushes, reg. 40c, for	18¢
Sash Brushes, reg. 25c, for	12¢
Sash Brushes, reg. 15c, for	7¢
Sash Brushes, reg. 10c, for	5¢

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One of the finest selections of Lock Sets and Trims in British Columbia. Entirely too much, though. You could not buy at these prices if you were buying a carload from the factory

	Reg.	Now
Store Door Sets	$18.00	$9.10
Store Door Sets	12.00	6.80
Store Door Sets	7.00	4.10
Store Door Sets	4.00	2.05
Front Door Sets	8.50	4.90
Front Door Sets	4.00	2.15
Front Door Sets	2.75	1.58
Sliding Door Sets (Double)	3.50	1.40
Sliding Door Sets (Single)	2.25	.98
Inside Lock Sets	4.00	1.98
Inside Lock Sets	2.00	.98
Inside Lock Sets	1.00	.40
Inside Lock Sets	.75	.34
Casement Adjusters	.75	.38
Casement Adjusters	.40	.20
Casement Fasteners	.20	.12
Butts, 3½ in., half surface	.35	.16
Butts, 3½ in., x 3½ in., pair	.25	.14
French Window Locks	1.90	1.08
Floor Hinges, each	8.00	4.25
Floor Hinges, each	4.00	2.28
Floor Hinges, each	1.25	.68
Racine Spring Hinge, pair	3.75	1.98
Racine Spring Hinge, pair	1.50	.73
Sash Fasteners	.10	.06
Sash Weights, per 100 lbs.		$1.50
Sash Pulleys, dozen	$ 0.45	.25
Drawer Handles, each	.40	.18
Drawer Handles, each	.20	.10
Drawer Handles, each	.05	.03
Card Holders, each	.10	.04
Door Chains, each	.50	.28
Indicator Bolts (N. P.)	1.75	.96
Chain Bolts	.75	.38
Foot Bolts	.75	.38
Cartland's Fanlight Opener	1.25	.67
Cupboard Turns	.15	.08
Cupboard Catches	.10	.06
Cellar Window Sets	.25	.14
Grand Rapids Axle Pulleys, doz.	1.75	.85
Ball Tipped Steel Butts, 3½ in., pair	.25	.11
Square Tower Bolts, 12 in.	.50	.28
Square Tower Bolts	.40	.23
Barrel Bolts, brass	.50	.28
Barrel Bolts, brass	.45	.25
Screen Door Catches	.25	.14
Sash Lifts, dozen	.30	.17
Sash Cord	.90	.50
Nails, all sizes, per lb.		.03
Door Stops, dozen	.30	.12

A Few Items We Have Cut to Sell Quickly

1 only **Electric Washer and Wringer**—Attach to an ordinary lamp socket, press the button, and it will wash and wring the clothes of an average family at a cost of about three cents. These sold for $85.00, now **$57.00**

1 only **Platform Truck Scale,** weighs up to 2,000 lbs. Reg. $35.00, for **$22.00**

1 only **Weigh Beam,** weighs up to 300 lbs. Reg. $7.00, for **$4.20**

1 only **Weigh Beam,** weighs up to 400 lbs. Reg. $8.00, for **$5.15**

4 only **Double-Cylinder Two-Way Pumps,** reg. $18.00, for **$9.50**

Will the person who left the change from a $10.00 bill in the store Saturday, Sept. 18, please call for same?

Remember, every cent's worth of goods in this stock has to be sold at some price.

We will be displaying scores of new lines of Household Goods each day. We give and take cents. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

B. C. Hardware Co.

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STATE OF AFFAIRS IN CONSTANTINOPLE

The Egyptian Gazette, in an account of present conditions in Constantinople, obtained from a European who left the Turkish capital some time ago, says that to fill the gaps in the Gallipoli army nearly all the Constantinople gendarmerie and 3,000 police have been sent to the front. The number of Armenians recently executed in the Bajazid quarter, the account continues, amounts to 10. Zohrab, the well-known Constantinople Armenian deputy, has been deported into the interior, and it is generally believed that he has been executed. The Greeks, on the other hand, have recently been well treated. In spite of orders that no notice, signboard, advertisement, and so forth, should be written in any European languages except in Greek or German, the Tanin newspaper is obliged to confess that its European edition has been published by official permission in French, that being the only European language generally understood in Constantinople. Food is still fairly abundant, with the exception of rice, which is scarce and dear, but coal is lacking and the projected railway from Delkos to Zunguldak has not been carried out. Much newly coined gold, the account adds, has recently arrived in Constantinople, and the chief officials in the capital are believed to have been paid till the middle of June.

SPIRIT OF UNITY ANIMATING ITALY

Eloquent testimony to the common purpose which unites the Italian nation is conveyed in a letter which Mr. T. Fisher Unwin, of London, has received from the Duke Litta Visconti Arese. Writing from Venice, the Duke says:

I see that our war correspondents are going to be allowed at the front, several from London papers, so we shall soon have more particulars about the actual fighting, for though the laconic dispatches of General Cadorna are wonderful examples of modest and truthful writing, they cannot satisfy entirely the layman who knows nothing of strategy and tactics. So I will not say a word about our troops, except this, that a member of the English Military Mission to the front calls them "stunning," a high compliment coming from one who certainly knows.

What I should like you to realize, so that you can let it be known to your many friends, is the admirable spirit which has pervaded the whole nation; all party strife has been radically obliterated, economic disputes of old standing, some of which were exceedingly grave and threatening, have been settled; the elan of charity is magnificent, and the self-sacrifice of all classes admirable.

One example: The Government decided to distribute to the railwaymen a sum of 3,000,000 francs in recognition of their admirable and faithful service during our mobilization, which came on just when a great strike was being mooted by the men; instantly, by unanimous impulse, the poor, not too-well-paid railwaymen offered the 3,000,000 francs to the Italian Red Cross and to the fund of the widows and orphans. Is that not remarkably fine?

The twenty-five motor ambulances your committee sent, or are sending, to Italy have been most thankfully and gratefully accepted, and everyone admires the wonderful capacity for giving of your country. The millions England is giving lavishly is absolutely an unprecedented record of charitable endeavor.

UNKNOWN SHIP IS IN DISTRESS

Wireless Station at Farollone Islands Picks Up "S.O.S." Call — Steamer Harvard Not Communicated With.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Repeated efforts to raise by wireless the steamer Harvard, since the receipt at 10:35 last night by the Government Radio station on the Farallone Islands of an "S.O.S." distress signal from some unknown steamer, had proved unsuccessful up to 1 a. m. The Harvard left San Francisco for Los Angeles at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon with 400 passengers.

The "S. O. S." call, it is believed, came from a point about 500 miles south of San Francisco.

The last heard from the Harvard was at 9 p. m., when the steamer was in communication with the Federal Wireless Station here. Capt. J. B. Bennett, one of the owners of the Harvard, said tonight that he had no fears for his vessel and that her silence since 9 o'clock was due probably to the wireless operator, one of whom is always on duty, being asleep. He said that the Harvard is unusually well provided with watertight bulkheads and that in the event of a collision, even if badly damaged, the vessel would float for a long time.

The Harvard, which formerly ran between New York and Boston in conjunction with her sister ship, the Yale, is a steel vessel of 4,061 tons. She was built in 1907, is equipped with turbine engines, triple screws, and is one of the fastest steamers in the coastwise trade.

HUTTON CASTLE ESTATES AT AUCTION

Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honorable Lord Tweedmouth, of the Royal Horse Guards, who is in France in command of his regiment, has decided to offer his Hutton Castle estates, Berwick-on-Tweed, by auction. Considerable historical interest centres round the castle, which is an old Border fortress, and in the days of the Border raids was an important stronghold—practically impregnable. The late Lord Tweedmouth carried out the restorations to the castle without in any way diminishing its mediaeval character. In the Plantagenet period, when England and Scotland were frequently at war, it is recorded that Edward I. encamped with his army at Hutton and the day following took possession of the town of Berwick. There are still many relics at Hutton which date back to the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries. Many old iron cannon balls, at least four inches in diameter, have been discovered in the trees in front of the Hall. The oldest part of the building is the square tower or keep, which dates back to 1200, having a projecting circular tower, a stone stairway, and a huge fireplace. Tradition speaks of an underground passage to the ruined Castle of Edington, the secret entrance of which is suggested to be behind the large fireplace, lately built up. Colonel Robert Johnston sold Hutton in 1831 to a family named Grieve, who sold it in 1876 to Sir Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks, Bart., immediately descended from Sir John Marjoribanks, Provost of Edinburgh in 1813, and Thomas Marjoribanks, who lived in the reign of Mary, Queen of Scots; Sir Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks became the first Baron Tweedmouth of Edington. The lands extend to 4,615 acres. The sale was announced to be conducted in Edinburgh on September 15 by Messrs. Curtis and Henson.

UNIVERSITY COMPANY ALREADY AT FRONT

Second Unit Furnished by Universities Sent to France After Short Period of Training

The experience of the 2nd University Company of the Canadian overseas forces furnishes one of the most remarkable instances in the present war of a brand new organization getting over to France in double quick time, says The Toronto Mail and Empire.

These young men, alumni of Toronto, McGill and other Canadian universities, and of the law schools and kindred institutions, were only recruited in the early Summer of the present year, and left Montreal for Shorncliffe as recently as June 28; and on August 23, after considerably less than two months' training in England, they were pronounced fully-equipped soldiers and left Southampton for France.

The ranks of the Princess Patricias, who were practically wiped out in the earlier months of the war, are being filled up from these university corps, whose intelligence and single-heartedness would seem to be marked by the speed with which they have got across the Channel. They are naturally of the class of those who seek commissions, and it is to their eternal credit that, realizing that only comparatively few can hope to obtain commissions in the great army which Canada is gradually sending out, they decided to go as privates and thus avoid the long wait on this side of the ocean.

The following are some of the 2nd University Company, many of whom hail from Toronto:

Lieut. Geo. M. Smith, Cpl. T. Gordon, Cpl. Williams, Cpl. Lawwrence, Lce.-Cpl. G. P. Dunstan, and Ptes. F. Read, Stratford; W. Wright, Sydney E. Wedd, Norman Keyes, P. Laing, L. A. Allan, Cordner; O. G. Lye, Teskey; W. Boyd, Staples; McLaughlin, Price, Davey, James, Donnelly, F. C. Ramsden, Head, Clancy, Sheen, Crossthwaite, Anderson, Butler, Harold Patton, Hancock Patrick, C. Smith, Williams, McDougall, Jones, Simmers, Bannerman, Avery, Willows, Rickaby, Barton, F. E. Smith and Cross.

Roosevelt Returns

QUEBEC, Sept. 25.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, ex-President of the United States, and leader of the Bull Moose party, returned to the city yesterday from a successful hunting trip on the Tourilli Club's preserves, east of La Tuque, Que., where he bagged a bull moose and a caribou. The former President was accompanied by Dr. Lambert, of New York, who returned home yesterday. On his arrival in the city, Col. Roosevelt was met at the depot of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway by the president and secretary of the Quebec Club. Later he was invited to address the club, but declined.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Headquarters for Sweaters

Our New Fall Stocks Are Here

DURING the past few days nine cases of Men's and Boys' Sweaters were opened up, revealing a score of different grades and styles, with a wide assortment of plain and combination shades in each quality. Some of the finest grades of Men's Sweaters yet offered are included, and our large buying facilities bring them here to sell at the lowest prices possible.

In the Popular-Priced Grades We Offer the Following

Wool Mixture Sweater, coat shape, medium sizes, and in combination shades of slate with navy, khaki with fawn, navy with maroon, grey with navy, cardinal with grey and navy with cardinal. Very special at **$1.00**

Wool Mixture Sweaters, coat shape with roll collar; in combination shades of khaki with fawn, maroon with slate, fawn with khaki and grey with maroon. Each **$1.50**

Men's Medium Weight Wool Mixture Sweater, in coat shape, V-neck; colors grey, khaki and slate; also combination shades of mole and green, maroon and grey, and slate and navy. Each **$1.75**

Medium Weight Wool Mixture Sweater, coat shape, with shawl collar, and in colors khaki, slate, navy, mole, fawn and grey. Each **$2.25**

Wool Sweater Coats, medium weight, coat shape, with V-neck; in colors grey, slate, khaki and maroon. Our special at **$3.75**

Extra Heavy All-Wool Sweater Coat, in vest shape; colors khaki, white and navy, also combination shades of slate with maroon and maroon with reseda. A regular $4.75 grade for **$3.75**

Same Quality Sweater, finished with wide military collar, in shades of slate with maroon, tan with grey, khaki with maroon and plain khaki. A regular $4.75 grade for **$3.95**

Men's Sweater Coats, medium weight, finished with turndown military collar; in shades of grey, khaki, grey and slate. Very special value at **$2.00**

Other values and qualities up to **$7.00**

Boys' Sweaters

Boys' Wool Mixture Sweaters, in coat shape—
Sizes 24 to 32, each .... **75¢**
Youth's size, 34, each **$1.00**

Boys' Wool Mixture Sweaters, in coat shape, finished with shawl collar; in shades of maroon, navy, khaki and mole—
Sizes 26 to 32, each **$1.50**
Youth's size, 34, each **$1.75**

All-Wool Sweater Coats, heavy ribbed; shawl collar and in shades of navy, grey and maroon; also fawn with khaki—
Sizes 26 to 32, each **$2.75**
Youth's size, 34, each **$3.00**

Heavy Ribbed All-Wool Sweater Coats with turndown military collar; in shades of maroon, mole and navy—
Size 26, each **$2.25**
Sizes 28 to 30, each **$2.50**
Sizes 32 and 34 .... **$2.75**

—Main Floor

Woolen Sweaters for Women

All-White Shaker Knit Sweater. A beautiful all-wool quality, finished with roll collar and side pockets. Each **$3.75**

All-Wool Sweater in Brushed Finish, V-neck style, with side pockets, in colors old rose, cerise and white. Each **$3.50**

Brushed Finished All-Wool Sweater, with belt across back and self-covered buttons. In colors pink, sky, old rose, scarlet and white. Each **$3.90**

Brushed Wool Sweater Set of two pieces. Coat has belt back and side pockets. Cap to match. In colors cerise, cadet and emerald, at, set **$6.00**

All-Wool Sweater Sets, in brushed finish. Three-piece sets. Coat has shawl collar, with cap and scarf to match, in colors saxe, rose, coral, paddy green, terra cotta and camel hair. At, per set **$6.75**

—First Floor

Woolen Sweaters for Children

Girls' Wool Mixture Sweaters, in coat shape, sizes 1 to 8 years; in colors cardinal, navy and grey. Priced, according to size, $1.00, 75c, **50¢**

Jersey Style, to fasten on shouller; in navy and cardinal. Small sizes only. Each .... **50¢**

All-Wool Sweaters, in coat shape, with military collar and in colors saxe blue, tan, cardinal and white. Sizes 6 months to 10 years. Priced according to size, $1.25 to **$2.25**

Heavier Quality Sweater for girls 8 to 10 years; in colors grey, dark olive, old rose and saxe blue. Each **$2.50**

Cap to match, each .... **65¢**

All-White Sweaters, in sizes 6 months to 6 years, and a very special quality at **$1.90**

—First Floor

Our Range of $25.00 Fall Suits for Women Very Complete

A RANGE of Women's Suits most complete, for it includes all the prevailing styles and adaptations in vogue this season. There are Norfolk and Norfolk effects; the ripple back with belt; belted backs and others with the plain cut front, featuring the high neck fastening. A very wide range, and particularly attractive in both styles and values. Novelty tweeds, tweed mixture, and serges the chief materials. All coats are satin lined and skirts come in 3-piece circular cut and in pleated from yoke effect.

The most complete range of **$25.00** Suits in the Province. **—First Floor**

Turnbull's Underwear for Women

The Underwear that's knit to form, giving perfect comfort and warmth. Our prices as follows:

Undervests of cotton and wool mixtures, short and long sleeves, low neck, V-shape; drawers to match, open or closed, at, garment .... **50¢**

All Wool Vests, low and high neck, short and long sleeves; natural shade and white. Drawers to match, open and closed, at, garment, 95c and .... **85¢**

All Wool Combinations, medium weight, high neck and long sleeves **$1.85**

All Wool Combinations, high neck, long sleeves and ankle length, at **$2.25**

All Wool Ribbed Combinations, extra heavy weight; high neck; at **$2.50**

Ladies' Hygiene Vests, cotton and wool mixtures; light weight; natural and white. Drawers to match, open and closed, at, garment .... **25¢**

Ladies' Vests, cotton and wool mixtures; high neck, long sleeves; in natural shade and white. Drawers to match, open and closed, at, garment .... **35¢**

Fleece Lined Vests, natural and white. Drawers to match, open and closed; all sizes, at, garment .... **50¢**

Fleece Lined Combinations, high neck, long and short sleeves; medium weight; white only, **75¢**

—First Floor

Latest Arrivals in Millinery

Feature the higher crowns and modes made of all ribbon. Many new and clever creations are here. Also new sailor shapes. On display in the Millinery Salon Monday.

—Second Floor

Princess Slips and Corset Covers

High-Grade Novelties for Evening Wear

VERY pretty Undergarments, suitable for evening wear, and for wear under transparent waists and dresses. High class exclusive novelties that will appeal to and interest women of refinement and those who delight in wearing dainty lingerie.

Princess Slip of Heavy White Satin, finished with accordion pleated frill. Exclusive at **$8.75**

Princess Slip of Good Quality Jap Silk, edged with lace and finished with deep flounce, accordion pleated. Exclusive at **$5.75**

Corset Covers, for wear under transparent waists or for evening wear, made of net and satin ribbon; some with straps of ribbon over shoulder. Each **$1.25**

Other styles with white net trimmed with lace insertion; short kimono sleeve; suitable for wear under transparent waists. Each **$1.25**

—First Floor

An Irish Song—"A Little Bit of Heaven"

A song that's going to rival "Mother Macree"; published in four keys. Each **35c**

"Tennis" at, copy **35c**

—First Floor

A Real English Walking Shoe for Ladies

AT last women have a real comfortable Walking Shoe, a shoe designed and specially made for the woman who loves to take long walks, a shoe that fits perfectly, is wonderfully comfortable, enabling you to walk with ease and comfort many miles, smart in appearance and not too heavy.

This shoe is made from plain black calfskin, with medium heavy sole and low heel, English last. We have all sizes in both Boots and Oxfords marked at prices within the reach of all.

Boots at, pair **$5.00**

Oxfords at, pair **$4.50**

New Fashionable Spats to wear with Oxfords at, pair, $1.50 and **$1.00**

—First Floor

Men's Light-Weight Overcoats for Present Wear

Some men like to wear a light-weight Overcoat on cool evenings and early mornings. Coats in most suitable weights are being shown in our Men's Clothing Store, priced from $15.00 to $18.00. These Coats come in fancy tweed mixtures with velvet collars, also plain Oxford grey with shawl collar of self; others with wide notched collar and lapel, with collar of velvet.

Coats are mostly unlined, and very smart in appearance.

—Main Floor

Heaters—

For the Home, Store, Hall, School—in fact, for all purposes. See our full range of styles and qualities exhibited on third floor. Prices the lowest in the Province.

—Third Floor

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